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LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THIS MORNING HARDEE COUNTY DEPUTIES ARE LOOKING FOR TWO MEN THEY SAY ESCAPED FROM THE COUNTY JAIL. DEPUTIES SAY BETWEEN 7:30 AND 8:30 LAST NIGHT 22 YEAR OLD ANTHONY LANE DEBOY AND 31 YEAR OLD RONALD DALE SMITH BROKE OUT OF JAIL. OFFICERS SAY THET WO WERE IN THE RECREATIONAL YARD WHEN THEN TOOK A BENCH, PUT IT UP AGAINST A BUILDING, CLIMBED OVER THE ROOF AND GOT AWAY. THEY ARE BOTH CONSIDERED DANGEROUS...

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THE 16-PAGE LAWSUIT CLAIMS SEVERAL TIMES, FATHER JOSE MENA USED HIS INFLUENCE AS A PRIEST.. TO USHER THE BOY TO A SECLUDED SPOT INSIDE INCARNATION CHURCH. THERE, IT SAYS, THE PRIEST KISSED HIM., FONDLED HIM., AND PERFORMED SEX ACTS IN FRONT OF HIM. THE PRIEST TELLING THE BOY. TO STAY SILENT. BUT THE SUIT SAYS *THE BOY* WASN'T THE ONLY ONE KEEPING IT A ATTORNEYS CLAIM CHURCH OFFICIALS *KNEW* FATHER MENA WAS LIKELY ABUSING CHILDREN - AND DID NOTHING TO STOP IT. *THAT* LEADS TO THE LAWSUIT. CHARGES OF NEGLIGENCE.. THAT THE CHURCH "KNEW... OR SHOULD HAVE KNOWN THAT FATHER MENA WAS UNFIT, DANGEROUS, AND A THREAT..." BUT "PROVIDED FATHER MENA UNFETTERED ACCESS" TO THE BOY ANYWAY. TODAY, INCARNATION CHURCH AND SCHOOL ARE RUN BY THE DIOCESE OF VENICE.. BUT THAT *WASN'T* THE CASE IN THE 1960'S.. WHEN THE BOY WAS A STUDENT HERE. THE VENICE BRANCH OF THE CHURCH - RUN BY BISHOP JOHN NEVINS - WASN'T EVEN FORMED UNTIL 1984 - SOME 20 YEARS AFTER THE ALLEGED ABUSE. THAT'S WHY DIOCESE OF VENICE SAYS IT DOESN'T EVEN KNOW *WHY* *IT'S* MENTIONED IN THE SUIT..THE SUIT ACTUALLY TARGETS *THREE* DIOCESE.. IN VENICE, ST. PETERSBURG. AND ST. AUGUSTINE. BECAUSE ALL THREE HAVE - AT SOME POINT IN THE PAST 40 YEARS - BEEN IN CHARGE OF INCARNATION. IT'LL BE UP TO A JUDGE OR JURY TO DECIDE WHETHER THE *CURRENT LEADERS* OF THE CHURCH - CAN BE HELD ACCOUNTABE FOR ALLEGATIONS THAT ARE DECADES OLD.

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THE MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE IS INVESTIGATING THE THEFT OF THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT. INVESTIGATORS SAY IT APPARENTLY HAPPENED LATE SUNDAY OR EARLY MONDAY AT THE ZIRKLEBACH CONSTRUCTION SITE ON STATE ROAD 70. THE THIEF OR THIEVES GOT AWAY WITH GENERATORS, WELDING TORCHES, THREE CONSTRUCTION TRAILERS, TWO FLATBED TRAILERS AND A LARGE QUANTITY OF CONSTRUCTION TOOLS.

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

A FORMER SUNCOAST DOCTOR SLOWLY ROLLED HIS WALKER INTO A FORT LAUDERDALE COURTROOM YESTERDAY TO ANSWER TO CHARGES HE INJECTED PATIENTS WITH BOOTLEG BOTOX. DOCTOR BACH MCCOMB IS ACCUSED OF PARALYZING HIMSELF AND THREE OTHERS BY INJECTING PURE BOTULISM TOXIN INSTEAD OF THE COSTLIER WRINKLE-TREATMENT BOTOX. THE JUDGE IS ALLOWING MCCOMB TO REMAIN FREE ON 200-THOUSAND DOLLAR BAIL WHILE HE'S UNDERGOING REHABILITATION AT HIS SISTER'S HOUSE HERE IN SARASOTA. MCCOMB WAS ARRESTED IN SARASOTA BACK IN 2003 ON CHARGES OF PRESCRIBING PILLS FOR MONEY.

LENGTH-00:17 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

A TAMPA BAY BUCCANNER IS OUT ON BOND TODAY AFTER GETTING ARRESTED FOR PULLING A B-B GUN ON TWO FANS AT A MC-DONALDS DRIVE THRU. OFFICERS SAY 26-YEAR-OLD DWIGHT SMITH PULLED A PELLET GUN OUT AFTER THE FANS TRIED TO TALK TO HIM. THIS IS THE SECOND TIME SMITH HAS BEEN IN TROUBLE. TWO YEARS AGO, HE WAS CHARGED WITH AGGRAVATED ASSAULT FOR POINTING A GUN AT ANOTHER DRIVER AFTER A ROAD RAGE INCIDENT.

LENGTH-01:27 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

IT'S THE DIRTY SECRET OF MEDICINE. NASTY INFECTIONS LURKING IN THE HOSPITAL...THE NURSING HOME...THE AMBULANCE. HEALTHCARE-ASSOCIATED INFECTIONS KILL MORE THAN 200 PEOPLE A DAY... THEY ADD MORE THAN 12 DAYS TO AN INFECTED PATIENT'S HOSPITAL STAY. AND, ACCORDING TO THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL, COST 4 AND A HALF BILLION DOLLARS A YEAR... THE NUMBER ONE CULPRIT -- AN APPALLINGLY SMALL NUMBER OF HEALTH PROFESSIONALS WHO PROPERLY WASH THEIR HANDS. I THINK IN, IN GOOD HOSPITALS WE ARE. WE MAY BE AT 50 PERCENT. AND IN ONES THAT ARE NOT QUITE AS GOOD, IT'S MUCH LOWER. BUSY DOCTORS ARE RUSHING FROM PATIENT TO PATIENT ... SPORADICALLY USING SURGICAL GLOVES...OR LEAVING THEM ON TOO LONG... YOU ARE SUPPOSED TO BE ABLE TO SING HAPPY BIRTHDAY IN ITS COMPLETION WHILE YOU ARE WASHING YOUR HANDS YOU SHOULD BE WASHING YOUR HANDS DURING THE ENTIRE SONG. THAT'S HARD TO DO IF YOU ARE TAKING CARE OF 20 PATIENTS. MAKING IT WORSE: 70% OF THESE INFECTIONS ARE RESISTENT TO ANTIBIOTICS... PATIENTS ARE OLDER...UNDERGOING NEW MEDICAL PROCEDURES. THE VERY THINGS THAT ARE PROLONGING OUR LIFE AND MAKING OUR MEDICAL TREATMENTS MORE EFFECTIVE ARE ALSO EXPOSING US TO THE RISK FOR INFECTION. RISKS LIKE BLOOD AND URINARY TRACT INFECTIONS, PNEUMONIA, SURGICAL SITE INFECTIONS. WHAT YOU CATCH IN THE HOSPITAL, BY SOME ESTIMATES, IS THE 8TH LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH IN AMERICA. WE HAVE MADE SOME PROGRESS, BUT STILL NOT GOOD ENOUGH AND WE NEED TO DO BETTER, AND WE CAN DO BETTER BECAUSE WE KNOW WHAT IS NEEDED TO BE DONE. SAFETY EXPERTS URGE PATIENTS TO ASK THEIR DOCTORS IF THEY HAVE WASHED UP. CURRENTLY ONLY FOUR STATES REQUIRE HOSPITALS TO REPORT HEALTHCARE-ASSOCIATED INFECTIONS. 30 MORE STATES ARE CONSIDERING IT. STAND UP -- THE CDC HAS ISSUED GUIDELINES TO STATES AS THEY START TO TRACK HOSPITAL INFECTIONS. HEALTH CARE ADVOCATES HOPE THAT BETTER REPORTING WILL HELP SAVE LIVES.

THE POINT IS TO STEER PREGNANT WOMEN AWAY FROM ABORTION. BY GOVERNOR BUSH'S NUMBERS --THERE WERE 92-THOUSAND ABORTIONS IN FLORIDA LAST YEAR COMPARED TO 217-THOUSAND NEW BIRTHS. SUPPORTERS SAY THIS NEW INITIATIVE COULDN'T HURT CHANGING THAT NUMBER --BUT OPPONENTS SAY THE ADVICE IS ALREADY OUT THERE THROUGH PLANNED PARENTHOOD. WE HAVE PEOPLE IN THIS COUNTRY THAT ARE CHILDLESS, THEY GO TO CHINA OR ROMANIA TO FIND BABIES WHEN THEERE ARE PREGNANT WOMEN HERE WHO MIGHT WANT TO PUT THEIR BABIES UP FOR ADOPTION IF THEY CAN GET HELP WITH MEDICAL COSTS OR OTHER PRACTICALTHINGS LIKE THAT. PREGNANCY CENTERS SHOULD NOT BE PUT OUT OF BUSINESS, BUT THEY SHOULD NOT RECEIVE STATE DOLLARS BECAUSE THEY DON'T COVER THE FULL MEDICAL DEFINITION OF OPTIONS COUNSELING.

LENGTH-00:31 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

A STOLEN SET OF KEYS LED TO NEW TERROR FOR A WOMAN WHO WAS CAR-JACKED. POLICE SAY A GUY WHO STOLE THE WOMAN'S CAR AND HER PURSE GOT INTO HER HOUSE THREE WEEKS LATER AND RAPED HER. THE ATTACK HAPPENED IN FRONT OF THE WOMAN'S TERRIFIED CHILDREN.MIAMI POLICE HAD THIS WARNING. "WHEN HE PULLED OFF THE ROBBERY, HE HAD ALL THE INGREDIENTS HE NEEDED TO PULL OFF HIS NEXT CRIME. I THINK THIS A LESSON FOR ALL OF US. IF YOU ARE THE VICTIM OF A CRIME, LOOK AHEAD - BECAUSE THE DIRT-BAG IS GOING TO LOOK AHEAD. AND IF HE HAS YOUR KEYS AND HE HAS YOUR ADDRESS, YOU WILL BE VICTIMIZED. YOU HAVE TO ASSUME THAT. CHANGE YOUR LOCKS." POLICE HAVE RELEASED A COMPOSITE SKETCH OF THE SUSPECT, AND A PHOTO OF THE VICTIM'S CAR THAT STILL HASN'T BEEN RECOVERED.

LENGTH-00:16 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

KANSAS PROSECUTORS CHARGING THE MAN KNOWN AS THE B-T-K SERIAL KILLER WITH TEN COUNTS OF FIRST-DEGREE MURDER. DENNIS RADER MADE HIS FIRST COURT APPEARANCE SINCE HIS ARREST LAST WEEK, BY VIDEO. THE B-T-K NICKNAME STANDS FOR "BIND, TORTURE, KILL". HE'S ACCUSED OF TEN DEATHS STARTING IN 1974..

LENGTH-03:30 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-11:00

FOR THREE WEEKS AFTER THE CRASH.. VANESSA LAY - IN A COMA. IN A FT.MYERS HOSPITAL BED. "MACHINES GOING - BUZZERS - AND IT'S LIKE - IT DIDN'T LOOK LIKE HER. THAT WASN'T THE VANESSA I'D SEEN AT 4 O'CLOCK THAT AFTERNOON." VANESSA CAME OUT OF HER COMA - IN TIME FOR HER 18TH BIRTHDAY. SURROUNDED BY FRIENDS.. BUT ALL ALONE.. A SHADOW OF THE HAPPY HIGH SCHOOL JUNIOR HER PARENTS ONCE KNEW. "I HAVE WAITED FOR DAYS, JUST TO SEE VANESSA OPEN HER EYES.. AND THEN WHEN, SHE DID OPEN HER EYES TO SEE ME, THEY WERE - SHE

COULDN'T REALLY FOCUS.. AND I WAS WONDERING - FOR THE LONGEST TIME, BEING HER MOTHER.. IF SHE REALIZED WHO I AM." BUT WITH A NEW YEAR - COMES NEW HOPE. IN THE FIRST WEEK OF JANUARY, MEDICAID PAYS TO MOVE VANESSA..TO HEALTH SOUTH'S REHABILITATION HOSPITAL IN SARASOTA. "ONCE SHE GOT HERE, WE FINALLY STARTED SEEING PROGRESS." "SHE'S - WHUPPED EVERYTHING THAT I'VE SHOWN HER.. I'VE SHOWED HER THE CLOCK - SHE TOLD ME WHAT TIME IT IS.. SHE'S WORKED THE RADIO FOR ME.. SHE'S WORKED THE TV FOR ME, TURNING IT ON AND OFF. SHE'S BUILT PUZZLES - SHE'S DONE SHAPES WITH OBJECTS." HER SPEECH AND OTHER SKILLS ARE BACK.. AFTER JUST *TWO MONTHS* OF INTENSIVE HELP HERE. "SHE IS NOW LOOKING AT ME AND SAYING 'HI, MOM' - AND WAVING TO ME. AND THAT IS A LOT (CRIES)." "VANESSA'S FAMILY SAYS THIS HOSPITAL, ITS STAFF, ITS PROGRAMS, ARE THE REASON THEIR DAUGHTER HAS - COME BACK TO LIFE. NOW, THEY'RE HEARING FROM MEDICAID - THE STATE PROGRAM THAT PAYS THEIR DAUGHTER'S BILLS - THAT THEY HAVE UNTIL FRIDAY - TO TAKE HER AWAY FROM HERE." "THEY SAID HER NEEDS WOULD BE BETTER SERVED IN A LONG-TERM FACILITY.. THAT WAS THE END OF THE EXPLANATION I GOT." VANESSA'S FOLKS SAY MEDICAID PLANS TO PULL HER FROM THE HOSPITAL - AND PUT HER HERE. THE BROWARD CHILDREN'S CENTER.. A LONG-TERM NURSING HOME. IT OFFERS REHABILITATION AND THERAPY.. BUT NOT THE SAME ACUTE CARE SHE GETS IN SARASOTA. "JUST THE MOVE ALONE - I THINK WOULD BRING - TAKE VANESSA BACK -INSTEAD OF TAKING HER FORWARD LIKE SHE'S DOING RIGHT NOW." SHE WANTS TO GO BACK TO SCHOOL AND SHE WANTS TO GRADUATE NEXT YEAR. IT'S GOING TO BE A TOUGH ORDER - BUT I THINK WE CAN DO IT - JUST LEAVE HER ALONE, LET HER GET WELL." *PRIVACY CONCERNS* MEAN MEDICAID CAN'T TALK ABOUT *VANESSA'S CASE*. BUT IN GENERAL, A SPOKESMAN SAYS DECISIONS TO MOVE PATIENTS ARE BASED ON AN UNBIASED OPINION OF WHAT'S BEST FOR THEM. THE PATIENT'S RECORDS GO TO A PAIR OF SPECIALISTS.. IN THIS CASE BRAIN INJURY DOCTORS. THEY REVIEW THE PAPERWORK' - AND MAKE THE CALL. IF THE FAMILY OBJECTS - LIKE VANESSA'S HAS -THOSE RECORDS GO OUT AGAIN - SOMETIMES AS MANY AS FOUR TIMES - TO EXPERT DOCTORS. VANESSA'S FAMILY SAYS IT'S NOT FAIR TO MAKE THAT DECISION -WITHOUT COMING FACE-TO-FACE WITH THEIR DAUGHTER. "SOMEONE IN ANOTHER CITY IS DECIDING WHAT'S GOING TO HAPPEN TO VANESSA., WHEN THEY DON'T KNOW. THEY DON'T KNOW THE WHOLE STORY." MEDICAID SAYS THE SYSTEM *IS FAIR* - AND IT WORKS.."THESE DOCTORS REVIEW MEDICAL EVIDENCE," A SPOKESMAN SAYS, "AND USE THEIR YEARS OF EXPERTISE TO SEE IF A PATIENT CAN GET BETTER CARE IN A LESS RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT..." HE GOES ON, "YOU ^WANT THEM^ TO BE IN AN ENVIRONMENT THAT'S MOST CONDUCIVE TO THEIR RECOVERY." "IT'S REAL HARD TO TRY AND FIND A PLACE TO TRUST FOR YOUR CHILD TO BE." VANESSA'S MOM SAYS SHE KNOWS *EXACTLY* WHERE HER DAUGHTER WILL GET THE BEST CHANCE TO RECOVER.. IT'S WHERE SHE IS - RIGHT NOW.

MARCH 2, 2005

LENGTH-00:21 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISAE

A GROUP OF MEDICAL STUDENTS FROM SINGAPORE HAS MADE A LONG JOURNEY TO SARASOTA TO GET A LOOK AT THE LATEST TEACHING AIDES. IT'S CALLED A "HUMAN PATIENT SIMULATOR". IT OFFERS MEDICAL STUDENTS THE OPPORTUNITY TO WORK WITH THE CLOSEST THING AVAILABLE TO A HUMAN. MANATEE TECHNICAL INSTITUTE EAST HAS TWO OF THEM. "CHIP" AND "BUD". THE SCHOOL HAS CATERED TO SEVERAL REQUESTS FROM OUTSIDE STUDENTS TO GET A CHANCE TO OPERATE WITH THE SIMULATORS.

AS STRONG AND ACTIVE AS SHE IS. YOU'D NEVER KNOW THAT 67-YEAR OLD JOANNE NEUBERT RECENTLY HAD BREAST CANCER. JOANNE NEUBERT BREAST CANCER SURVIVOR: "I WAS DIAGNOSED WITH BREAST CANCER IN THE SUMMER OF 2003. I HAD SURGERY IN AUGUST AND STARTED CHEMOTHERAPY IN SEPTEMBER. AND I FINISHED UP JUST BEFORE THE HOLIDAYS." CHEMOTHERAPY USES STRONG DRUGS TO KILL CANCER CELLS. BUT IT CAN MAKE PATIENTS NAUSEOUS, EXHAUSTED AND WEAK. SO MANY PHYSICIANS HESITATE TO OFFER THE "CHEMO" TO ELDERLY PATIENTS. BUT A NEW STUDY IN JAMA, JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, SAYS THIS STRONG MEDICINE WORKS FOR ELDERLY BREAST CANCER PATIENTS. THEY EXPERIENCED THE SAME DEGREE OF BENEFIT, BY THAT I MEAN THE SAME LOWERING OF THEIR RELAPSE RATE, AND THE SAME LOWERING OF THEIR BREAST CANCER MORTALITY RATE, BY BEING ON A HIGHER DOSE THERAPY. THIS WAS SIMILAR TO YOUNGER PATIENTS." DR. HYMAN MUSS OF VERMONT CANCER CENTER IS PART OF A NATIONAL CANCER INSTITUTE RESEACH GROUP THAT CONDUCTED THE STUDY. THE RESEARCHERS TRACKED ABOUT SIX-THOUSAND BREAST CANCER PATIENTS, ABOUT SIX-HUNDRED OF WHOM WERE AGE 65 OR OLDER. TO SEE HOW THEY RESPONDED TO HIGH DOSES OF CHEMOTHERAPY. OF THE WOMEN HAD INVOLVEMENT OF THEIR LYMPH NODES, THE GLANDS UNDER THEIR ARM, AS PART OF THEIR BREAST CANCER, WHICH MAKES THEM AT VERY HIGH RISK OF REOCCURRENCE." BUT OTHERWISE, THE WOMEN WERE IN GENERALLY GOOD HEALTH. OLDER PATIENTS DID HAVE A SLIGHTLY HIGHER RISK OF BAD REACTIONS TO THE CHEMOTHERAPY, BUT NOT ENOUGH TO OUTWEIGH THE MUSS: "I WOULD RECOMMEND THAT FOR OLDER BREAST CANCER PATIENTS AND THOSE THAT CARE FOR THEM AND LOVE THEM, THAT THEY ASK THEIR PHYSICIANS ABOUT THE OPPORTUNITIES TO RECEIVE CHEMOTHERAPY THAT MIGHT BE HELPFUL TO THEM." IT WAS HELPFUL TO JOANNE. SHE SAYS SHE'S CANCER OUT FREE, AND CAN'T BELIEVE HER AGE COULD HAVE KEPT HER OF "CHEMO." JOANNE NEUBERT BREAST CANCER SURVIVOR: "I DON'T THINK IT'S FAIR FOR PEOPLE MY AGE NOT TO BE TREATED LIKE EVERY OTHER WOMAN." "I THINK I'M JUST AS CAPABLE OF SURVIVING AS WELL AS ANYBODY ELSE."

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-EDUCATION 10 SHOW TIME-5:00

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY HAS A NEW HOME ON THE SUNOCAST...THIS AFTERNOON.. THE SCHOOL'S COLLEGE OF MEDICINE OPENED A REGIONAL CAMPUS IN DOWNTOWN SARASOTA. STUDENTS WILL BE UNDER THE DIRECTION OF LOCAL DOCTORS.. AND DO ROTATIONS IN SEVERAL DIFFERENT FIELDS..THE CAMPUS WILL BE BASED AT THE HISTORIC WEISSGERBER-FAMIGLIO HOUSE.

LENGTH-00:49 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

SOME* TYPES OF CRIME ARE INCREASING AT A MOBILE HOME PARK SET UP FOR HURRICANE CHARLEY VICTIMS. 551 MOBILE HOMES ARE NEXT TO THE CHARLOTTE COUNTY JAIL ON AIRPORT ROAD. FEMA SET THIS UP FOR PEOPLE WHO LOST EVERYTHING IN CHARLEY. THE PARK STARTED TO FILL UP IN JANUARY AND

FEBRUARY. THAT'S WHEN CHARLOTTE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES STARTED NOTICING THEIR CALLS WERE UP. CALLS LIKE BREAKING AND ENTERING, DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, DRUGS, VANDALISM AND CALLS INVOLVING JUVENILES. "DOMESTICS ARE UP WHICH WOULD STAND TO REASON BECAUSE OF THE STRESS LEVEL IN THE PARK. JUVENILES ARE DOWN ONE BUT STILL SIGNIFICANT THERE ARE JUVENILE PROBLEMS OUT THERE." RESIDENTS MUST SIGN A LEASE AGREEMENT WHEN THEY MOVE IN. IT SAYS ILLEGAL CONDUCT, NOISE AND ANYTHING THAT HARMS OTHER PEOPLE IS NOT ALLOWED.. AND THAT THEY COULD FACE EVICTION..

LENGTH-00:16 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

POLICE IN TENNESSEE SAY A STUDENT SHOT AND KILLED A BUS DRIVER.. IT HAPPENED IN CUMBERLAND CITY, ABOUT 50 MILES NORTH OF NASHVILLE.THEY SAY 20 STUDENTS WERE ON THE BUS AT THE TIME OF THE SHOOTING.. NONE OF THEM WERE HURT.. THE STUDENTS WERE ON THEIR WAY TO AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AND A HIGH SCHOOL.

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LENGTH-00:17 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

FOUR PEOPLE ARE DEAD FOLLOWING A HIGH SPEED CHASE IN NEW MEXICO. IT HAPPENED ALONG THE MEXICAN BORDER. AN SUV, PACKED WITH ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS WAS BEING CHASED BY BORDER AGENTS. THE DRIVER LOST CONTROL WHILE SWERVING TO AVOID ROAD SPITES SET UP BY AGENTS. THE VEHICLE ROLLED OVER SEVERAL TIMES. FOUR PEOPLE WERE PRONOUNCED DEAD AT THE SCENE. NINE OTHERS WERE INJURED.

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-12:00

A SARASOTA WOMAN IS BEHIND BARS THIS AFTERNOON FOLLOWING A DRUG RAID. POLICE CONDUCTED THE RAID YESTEDAY AT AN APARTMENT IN THE 22-HUNDRED BLOCK OF JANIE POE DRIVE. OFFICERS SAY 32-YEAR-OLD MICHELLE PHILLIPS TRIED TO FLEE OUT THE BACK DOOR OF THE APARTMENT AS OFFICERS WENT IN FOR THE SEARCH. THEY ALSO SAY SHE TOSSED 2 BAGS OF MARIJUANA ON THE GROUND. A FURTHER SEARCH TURNED UP 44 MORE BAGS OF THE ILLEGAL WEED. PHILLIPS IS CHARGED WITH POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA WITH INTENT TO SELL.

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

A MAN HUNT IS OVER IN FORT PIERCE FOR A MAN THAT INVESTIGATORS SAY ATTACKED TWO ELDERLY WOMEN. DEPUTIES ARRESTED TIMOTHY OWENS YESTERDAY AND CHARGED HIM WITH AN ATTACK ON A MARTIN COUNTY WOMAN.

OWENS IS ALSO KNOWN AS KILLER. POLICE SAY HE WENT INTO THE 82 YEAR OLD WOMAN'S HOME ON TUESDAY, BEAT HER, TIED HER UP, PUT HER IN A VAN AND DROVE OFF. IN INDIANTOWN THEY SAY HE PARKED THE VAN AND WENT TO BUY COCAINE. SOMEONE HEARD THE WOMAN SCREAMING AND CALLED POLICE. OWENS ALREADY HAS A CRIMINAL RECORD, INCLUDING A HOMICIDE CONVICTION.

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

MIKE HUCKABEE COULD HAVE MADE EXCUSES... AS GOVERNOR OF ARKANSAS, HE HAD A CRUSHING SCHEDULE... NO TIME TO EAT RIGHT OR EXERCISE. LIKE SO MANY OTHERS, HE GOT MOTIVATED BY FEAR. ("AT ONE POINT I WAS HAVING CHEST-PAINS AND ALL KINDS OF SYMPTOMS, I THOUGHT, MY GOSH, I'VE GOT A HEART BLOCKAGE, IT'S GOING TO BE-- AND I HAD A HEART CATH. DONE. THEY SAID YOUR HEART'S FINE, BUT YOU'RE HORRIBLY OUT OF SHAPE.") THAT WAS A LITTLE OVER TWO YEARS, AND A-HUNDRED POUNDS, AGO. FROM A HIGH OF 280, HE'S NOW DOWN TO 170 POUNDS... (--NAT-SOT/HUCKABEE--) ("I'M MAKING BACON AND EGGS. THAT'S MY TYPICAL BREAKFAST.") IT WASN'T SO MUCH ABOUT DIETING. HUCKABEE HAD TRIED MANY OF THE POPULAR WEIGHT-LOSS PLANS, WITH LIMITED SUCCESS. DOCTORS AND DIETITIANS WHO WE SPOKE TO, SAY PROGRAMS LIKE THE ATKINS AND SOUTH-BEACH DIETS ARE GOOD FOR LOSING WEIGHT QUICKLY, BUT WHAT HAPPENS WHEN YOU'RE THE PERSON WHO'S DOING A FAD DIET, LOSING WEIGHT MORE QUICKLY IS YOU GAIN THE WEIGHT BACK ANYWAY SO IN WEIGHT LOSS THE TORTOISE WINS THE RACE. EXPERTS SAY THE HIGH-PROTEIN, LOW-CARB REGIMENS IN THOSE DIETS EXCLUDE WHOLE FOOD GROUPS THAT ARE GOOD FOR YOU... THAT CAN HELP MAINTAIN ENERGY AND A HEALTHY METABOLISM. AND A COMMON PROBLEM FOR THOSE WANTING TO SHED WEIGHT IS THE SHEER CONFUSION OF IT ALL. HOW DO YOU WEAVE THROUGH THE DIETS LIKE ATKINS AND SOUTH BEACH... GROUP-PROGRAMS LIKE WEIGHT-WATCHERS... AND FIND THE ONE THAT'S RIGHT FOR YOU? EXPERTS SAY PEOPLE LIKE MIKE HUCKABEE-- WHO LOSE WEIGHT AND KEEP IT OFF SUCCESSFULLY-- DO A FEW SIMPLE THINGS. ONE, AVOID THOSE DIETS WITH NARROW MENUS. "THE BEST DIET IS THE DIET WITH A VARIETY OF FOODS. TO BE NUTRITIONALLY ADEQUATE YOU NEED FOODS FROM FRUITS, VEGETABLES, WHOLE GRAINS... PROTEINS LIKE LEAN MEATS, FISH, HEALTHY FATS OILS, NUTS.") ALSO EAT SMALLER PORTIONS, SAY THE EXPERTS... AVOID PROCESSED FOOD... AND PERHAPS MOST IMPORTANT: KEEP PHYSICALLY ACTIVE, EVEN IF IT'S NOT A HIGH-OCTANE EXERCISE PROGRAM.

LENGTH-01:46 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

"ABONDONING A CHILD, LEAVING THEM THERE, WETHER THEY'RE HURT BROKEN BONES OR DIEING DON'T LET THEM DIE ALONE. HE RAN OUT OF FEAR." MELISSA LAFOLLETTE SIFTS THROUGH CARDS AND THINKS ABOUT WHAT SHE WOULD LIKE TO ASK THE PERSON F-H-P BELIEVES MAY BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE HIT AND RUN DEATH OF HER EIGHT YEAR OLD DAUGHTER BRITTANI. "I WOULD ASK HIM WHY DID YOU RUN? WHAT WERE YOU FEARING? WERE YOU DOING SOMETHING YOU WEREN'T SUPPOSED TO BE DOINGS? IS THAT WHY YOU LEFT MY DAUGHTER THERE TO DIE? WERE YOU THAT SELFISH THAT YOU HAD TO THINK OF YOURSELF AND YOU COULDN'T THINK OF THE LITTLE GIRL YOU JUST RAN OVER?" THE FAMILY SAYS KNOWING THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS TRAGEDY IS STILL OUT THERE MAKES IT EVEN TOUGHER TO COPE WITH. "IT MAKES IT VERY DIFFICULT BECAUSE I DON'T HAVE SOMEONE TO SAY IM SORRY. I GO TO BED AT NIGHT AND I SAY SORRY TO MY

DAUGHTER FOR NOT BEING ABLE TO PROTECT HER. IM SO SORRY THAT YOUR MOMMY COULD NOT PROTECT YOU. BUT IF SOMEONE COULD SAY IM SORRY FOR KILLING YOUR DAUGHTER, THAT WOULD MEAN SOMETHING TO ME." "A MEMORIAL ON THE VERY SPOT WHERE BRITTINI WAS HIT IS STILL HERE. THREE WEEKS LATER NO ONE HAS BEEN ARRESTED. THE ANSWER, FRIENDS AND FAMILY THINK COULD BE CLOSE TO HOME." "HIS HOME IS ONLY TWO BLOCKS FROM THE SITE." A WHITE S-U-V JUST AROUND THE CORNER FROM BOTH THE ACCIDENT AND THEIR HOME HAS BEEN CONFISCATED FROM THIS HOUSE BY F-H-P AFTER SOMEONE SAW THE SUSPECT RUN FROM IT INTO THE HOME THE SAME AFTERNOON BRITTANI WAS HIT.."IM NOT SURE, I THINK THE POLICE ARE CONFIDENT THEY'VE KEPT THE VEHICLE. IF THIS ISN'T THE PERSON THEN THE OWNER JUST COME TO ME. IM NOT ACCUSING HIM I JUST WANT TO TALK TO HIM." THE FAMILY SAYS NO MATTER WHAT....... THEIR LIVES WILL NEVER BE THE SAME BUT IF BRITTINI WAS HERE SHE WOULD KNOW WHAT TO DO. "IF MY LITTLE GIRL WERE HERE SHE WOULD FORGIVE HIM. SHE WOULD HUG AND TELL IT'S OK."

LENGTH-00:33 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

THE PALMETTO POLICE DEPARTMENT NEEDS YOUR HELP FINDING A MAN THEY SAY TRIED TO KIDNAP A TEENAGE GIRL. OFFICERS SAY IT HAPPENED AROUND NOON TODAY, WHEN THE 17-YEAR OLD WAS WALKING IN THE 1600 BLOCK OF 9TH AVENUE WEST. AUTHORITIES SAY HE CAME UP BEHIND HER, GRABBED HER BY THE ARM, AND TRIED TO DRAG HER IN AN ALLEY. THE GIRL BROKE FREE AND RAN AWAY.. SHE WASN'T HURT. SHE GAVE POLICE THIS DESCRIPTION OF THE MAN. HE'S WHITE OR HISPANIC, ABOUT 5 FEET 10 INCHES TALL AND ABOUT 140 POUNDS, WITH SHORT BLACK HAIR AND A GOATEE.

MARCH 4, 2005

LENGTH-00:29 issue-crime 1 show time-12:00

THE SUNCOAST FOSTER MOM OF A THREE YEAR OLD TAMPA BOY WHO INVESTIGATORS SAY DIED AS A RESULT OF ABUSE ISN'T SAYING ANYTHING ABOUT THE CHILD. RONNIE PARIS DIED IN JANUARY AFTER BEING ON LIFE SUPPORT FOR SIX DAYS. HIS FATHER, RONNIE JUNIOR IS CHARGED WITH MURDER. AND NOW A NEW REPORT SAYS THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES CASEWORKER WAS NEGLIGIENT IN FOLLOWING UP ON THE CHILD AFTER HE WAS RETURNED TO HIS PARENTS. D-C-F WORKER LINDA MILLER NOTICED BRUISES AND BURNS ON THE CHILD BUT THE REPORT SAYS SHE DIDN'T THINK THEY WERE SERIOUS ENOUGH TO REPORT.

LENGTH-00:16 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-12:00

FOUR CANADIAN POLICE ARE DEAD AFTER A BUST AT AN ILLEGAL MARIJUANA FARM. THAT TOPS OUR LOOK AT NEWS AROUND OUR WORLD. IT HAPPENED YESTERDAY IN NORTHWESTERN ALBERTA. THE MAN THE MOUNTIES WERE AFTER KILLED THE

FFICERS THEN HIMSELF. CANADA'S PARLIAMENT MEMBERS ARE NOW TALKING ABOUT LEGALIZING MARIJUANA, HOPING THAT WOULD WEAKEN DRUG DEAL ACTIVITIES.

LENGTH-01:19 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

IT'S THE DIRTY SECRET OF MEDICINE. NASTY INFECTIONS LURKING IN THE HOSPITAL...THE NURSING HOME...THE AMBULANCE. HEALTHCARE-ASSOCIATED INFECTIONS KILL MORE THAN 200 PEOPLE A DAY... THEY ADD MORE THAN 12 DAYS TO AN INFECTED PATIENT'S HOSPITAL STAY. AND, ACCORDING TO THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL, COST 4 AND A HALF BILLION DOLLARS A YEAR... THE NUMBER ONE CULPRIT -- AN APPALLINGLY SMALL NUMBER OF HEALTH PROFESSIONALS WHO PROPERLY WASH THEIR HANDS. I THINK IN, IN GOOD HOSPITALS WE ARE, WE MAY BE AT 50 PERCENT. AND IN ONES THAT ARE NOT QUITE AS GOOD. IT'S MUCH LOWER. BUSY DOCTORS ARE RUSHING FROM PATIENT TO PATIENT...SPORADICALLY USING SURGICAL GLOVES...OR LEAVING THEM ON TOO LONG... YOU ARE SUPPOSED TO BE ABLE TO SING HAPPY BIRTHDAY IN ITS COMPLETION WHILE YOU ARE WASHING YOUR HANDS YOU SHOULD BE WASHING YOUR HANDS DURING THE ENTIRE SONG. THAT'S HARD TO DO IF YOU ARE TAKING CARE OF 20 PATIENTS. MAKING IT WORSE: 70% OF THESE INFECTIONS ARE RESISTENT TO ANTIBIOTICS... PATIENTS ARE OLDER...UNDERGOING NEW MEDICAL PROCEDURES. THE VERY THINGS THAT ARE PROLONGING OUR LIFE AND MAKING OUR MEDICAL TREATMENTS MORE EFFECTIVE ARE ALSO EXPOSING US TO THE RISK FOR INFECTION. RISKS LIKE BLOOD AND URINARY TRACT INFECTIONS, PNEUMONIA, SURGICAL SITE INFECTIONS. WHAT YOU CATCH IN THE HOSPITAL, BY SOME ESTIMATES, IS THE 8TH LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH IN AMERICA. WE HAVE MADE SOME PROGRESS, BUT STILL NOT GOOD ENOUGH AND WE NEED TO DO BETTER, AND WE CAN DO BETTER BECAUSE WE KNOW WHAT IS NEEDED TO BE DONE. SAFETY EXPERTS URGE PATIENTS TO ASK THEIR DOCTORS IF THEY HAVE WASHED UP. CURRENTLY ONLY FOUR STATES REQUIRE HOSPITALS TO REPORT HEALTHCARE-ASSOCIATED INFECTIONS. 30 MORE STATES ARE CONSIDERING IT.

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

FOUR MEMBERS OF A CALIFORNIA FRATERNITY ARE CHARGED WITH INVOLUNTARY MANSLAUGHTER... AFTER A PLEDGE DIED DURING HAZING. IT HAPPENED AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT CHICO. POLICE SAY THE STUDENT WAS FORCED TO DRINK WATER THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT IN THE BASEMENT OF AN OFF-CAMPUS FRAT HOUSE. HE COLLAPSED WHILE DOING A PUNISHMENT PUSH-UP AND HAD A SEIZURE.

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LENGTH-01:05 ISSUE-ELDERLY 7 SHOW TIME-EARLY

HUNDREDS OF WALKERS HIT THE STREETS OF DOWNTOWN SARASOTA TODAY ... TO FIGHT BACK AGAINST A POWERFUL ENEMY. THE ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION

CALLED IT "MEMORY WALK 2005" ..."TAKING STEPS TO END ALZHEIMER'S." A HUNDRED AND ONE PARROTHEADS ... MEMBERS OF THE JIMMY BUFFET FAN CLUB ... LED THE WAY. THEY WON THE PRIZE FOR THE MOST WALKERS. THE ASTON GARDENS TEAM TOOK HOME THE TROPHY FOR RAISING THE MOST MONEY. THEY BROUGHT IN MORE THAN 71 HUNDRED DOLLARS. OVER ALL THE WALK BROUGHT IN MORE THAN 48 THOUSAND DOLLARS. MONEY DESPERATELY NEEDED TO HELP THOSE AFFECTED BY THE DISEASE IN OUR COMMUNITY. "IN SARASOTA -MANATEE COUNTIES 30THOUSAND PEOPLE HAVE ALZHEIMER'S . IN THE 17 COUNTIES SERVED BY THE FL GULF COAST CHAPTER, MORE THAN 160,000 PEOPLE HAVE ALZHEIMERS. ONLY 8 STATES IN THE COUNTRY HAVE MORE THAN WE DO IN OUR 17 COUNTIES.">

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-EARLY

MIKE HUCKABEE COULD HAVE MADE EXCUSES... AS GOVERNOR OF ARKANSAS, HE HAD A CRUSHING SCHEDULE... NO TIME TO EAT RIGHT OR EXERCISE. LIKE SO MANY OTHERS, HE GOT MOTIVATED BY FEAR. ("AT ONE POINT I WAS HAVING CHEST-PAINS AND ALL KINDS OF SYMPTOMS. I THOUGHT, MY GOSH. I'VE GOT A HEART BLOCKAGE, IT'S GOING TO BE-- AND I HAD A HEART CATH. DONE. THEY SAID YOUR HEART'S FINE, BUT YOU'RE HORRIBLY OUT OF SHAPE.") THAT WAS A LITTLE OVER TWO YEARS, AND A-HUNDRED POUNDS, AGO. FROM A HIGH OF 280, HE'S NOW DOWN TO 170 POUNDS... (--NAT-SOT/HUCKABEE--) ("I'M MAKING BACON AND EGGS. THAT'S MY TYPICAL BREAKFAST.") IT WASN'T SO MUCH ABOUT DIETING. HUCKABEE HAD TRIED MANY OF THE POPULAR WEIGHT-LOSS PLANS, WITH LIMITED SUCCESS. DOCTORS AND DIETITIANS WHO WE SPOKE TO, SAY PROGRAMS LIKE THE ATKINS AND SOUTH-BEACH DIETS ARE GOOD FOR LOSING WEIGHT QUICKLY, BUT... ("...WHAT HAPPENS WHEN YOU'RE THE PERSON WHO'S DOING A FAD DIET, LOSING WEIGHT MORE QUICKLY IS YOU GAIN THE WEIGHT BACK ANYWAY SO IN WEIGHT LOSS THE TORTOISE WINS THE RACE. EXPERTS SAY THE HIGH-PROTEIN, LOW-CARB REGIMENS IN THOSE DIETS EXCLUDE WHOLE FOOD GROUPS THAT ARE GOOD FOR YOU... THAT CAN HELP MAINTAIN ENERGY AND A HEALTHY METABOLISM. AND A COMMON PROBLEM FOR THOSE WANTING TO SHED WEIGHT IS THE SHEER CONFUSION OF IT ALL. HOW DO YOU WEAVE THROUGH THE DIETS LIKE ATKINS AND SOUTH BEACH... GROUP-PROGRAMS LIKE WEIGHT-WATCHERS... AND FIND THE ONE THAT'S RIGHT FOR YOU? EXPERTS SAY PEOPLE LIKE MIKE HUCKABEE-- WHO LOSE WEIGHT AND KEEP IT OFF SUCCESSFULLY-- DO A FEW SIMPLE THINGS. ONE, AVOID THOSE DIETS WITH NARROW MENUS. ("THE BEST DIET IS THE DIET WITH A VARIETY OF FOODS. TO BE NUTRITIONALLY ADEQUATE YOU NEED FOODS FROM FRUITS, VEGETABLES, WHOLE GRAINS... PROTEINS LIKE LEAN MEATS, FISH, HEALTHY FATS OILS, NUTS.") ALSO EAT SMALLER PORTIONS, SAY THE EXPERTS... AVOID PROCESSED FOOD... AND PERHAPS MOST IMPORTANT: KEEP PHYSICALLY ACTIVE, EVEN IF IT'S NOT A HIGH-OCTANE EXERCISE PROGRAM.

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-LATE

A 2-YEAR-OLD BOY IN WEST PALM BEACH HAS DIED ... IN A HIT AND RUN ACCIDENT ... AFTER BEING STRUCK AND KILLED BY AN ICE CREAM TRUCK. AUTHORITIES SAY THE KID RAN INTO THE PATH OF THE TRUCK ... IN THE PARKING LOT OF HIS APARTMENT BUILDING. WITNESSES SAY THE DRIVER GOT OUT, CHECKED THE CHILD AND DROVE OFF. POLICE FOUND THE TRUCK ABOUT A QUARTER MILE AWAY AT THE DRIVER'S HOUSE. SHE'S IN JAIL ... CHARGED WITH LEAVING THE SCENE OF A FATALITY.

IF FOUND GUILTY ... SHE COULD SPEND 15 YEARS BEHIND BARS.

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-LATE

FRIENDS, FAMILY, AND SUPPORTERS ARE HOLDING A CANDLELIGHT VIGIL ...FOR A GAY MAN IN NEW MEXICO. AUTHORITIES SAY HE WAS ATTACKED ... FOR BEING GAY. 21-YEAR-OLD JAMES MAESTAS AND HIS FRIEND JOSHUA STOCKHAM ...WERE ATTACKED OUTSIDE A SANTA FE HOTEL LAST WEEK. MAESTAS HAS BEEN IN THE HOSPITAL EVER SINCE. THE GOVERNOR OF NEW MEXICO, AND THE SANTA FE POLICE CHIEF, ATTENDED THE VIGIL ... ALONG WITH HUNDREDS OF OTHERS. SANTA FE IS SECOND ONLY TO SAN FRANCISCO ...IN THE PERCENTAGE OF SAME-SEX HOUSEHOLDS.

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LENGTH-02:16 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

THESE CUTS ARE HUGE. THERE'S NO TWO WAYS ABOUT IT. CHILDREN'S HOSPITALS ARE VERY DEPENDENT UPON MEDICAID FUNDING, AS MANY OF THEIR PATIENTS REQUIRE FEDERAL ASSISTANCE. WITHOUT THE GOVERNMENT DOLLARS, THERE'S NO QUESTION, CUTS WILL BE MADE, AND EVEN NON-MEDICAID PATIENTS WILL BE AFFECTED. "THIS IS PROBABLY THE MOST DEVASTATING THING THAT HAS HAPPENED TO MY HUSBAND AND ME. IT WAS CRUSHING." WHEN TEN YEAR OLD ZACH HILL WAS SUDDENLY DIAGNOSED WITH A BRAIN TUMOR, HIS MOM LAURIE KNEW SHE WANTED HIIM TO BE CARED FOR AT THIS MAJOR CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL...CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL OF PITTSBURGH. "I'VE HAD SO MANY PEOPLE COME IN TODAY THAT I CAN'T EVEN REMEMBER THEIR NAMES, THAT ARE TRYING TO HELP HIM. IT IS, IT'S TOTALLY AMAZING." BUT MAYBE, THERE WILL A FEW LESS FOLKS CARING FOR KIDS LIKE ZACH. OR MAYBE, THERE WILL BE DIMINISHED EMERGENCY ROOM SERVICES...OR FEWER DOCTORS TO CARE FOR THEM. NOONE KNOWS ... YET ... WHAT WILL BE THE FINAL IMPACT OF THE MEDICAID CUTS PROPOSED IN THIS YEAR'S FEDERAL BUDGET. THEY'RE, RELATIVE TO PREVIOUS YEARS, TREMENDOUS... 60 BILLION DOLLARS OVER TEN YEARS. THAT'S ALMOST THIRTY TIMES MORE THAN THE 2.2 BILLION IN FEDERAL CUTS THAT CONGRESS REJECTED IN 2004. ROGER OXENDALE, CEO OF CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL OF PITTSBURGH SAYS HE EXPECTS TO LOSE MORE THAN EIGHT MILLION DOLLARS IN HIS BUDGET AS A RESULT. "WHEN YOU LOOK AT THE ABSOLUTE DOLLAR FIGURE THAT WE ARE TALKING ABOUT OF 8.2 MILLION DOLLARS, IT IS A HUGE IMPACT TO US. AND IF YOU THINK ABOUT AND YOU TRY TO TRANSLATE THAT INTO A SPECIFIC PROGRAM, THAT COVERS PROBABLY JUST OFF THE TOP OF MY HEAD, THAT PROBABLY COVERS 6 TO 10 PROGRAMS THAT WE PROVIDE, SERVICES THAT WE PROVIDE HERE AT CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL OF PITTSBURGH. MEDICAID IS THE SINGLE LARGEST PROVIDER OF HEALTH CARE FOR CHILDREN, INSURING ABOUT ONE IN 4 OR 26 MILLION CHILDREN OVER ALL. IN FACT IT IS SUCH A SIGNIFICANT PROVIDER THAT THE BUDGET CUTS WILL LIKELY MEAN ELIMINATION FOR NUMEROUS SERVICES INCLUDING THOSE THAT PROVIDE CARE FOR ALL CHILDREN NOT JUST MEDICAID RECIPIENTS. "WHILE IT IS EASY FOR THE AVERAGE PERSON ON THE STREET TO LOOK AT THIS AND SAY WELL THIS ISN'T GOING TO IMPACT ME OR MY CHILDREN, THE REALITY IS A REDUCTION OF THIS MAGNITUDE HAS THE ABILITY TO IMPACT ALL OF THE KIDS AND THE SERVICES THAT THEY RECEIVE." "WE CANNOT GET BY WITH LESS THAN WHAT WE'RE BEING PAID NOW." DR. DENNIS CLEMENTS IS INTERIM CHIEF OF PEDIATRICS AT DUKE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL IN NORTH CAROLINA. HE SAYS DUKE

WILL SEE ABOUT A NINE MILLION DOLLAR LOSS. "THE MONEY HAS TO COME FROM SOMEWHERE. SOMETHING WILL HAVE TO GO, NONE OF WHICH ARE ACCEPTABLE."

LENGTH-00:14 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

SARASOTA POLICE ARE HUNTING FOR AN ARMED ROBBER WHO'S ON THE LOOSE THE ROBBER STRUCK AROUND 9:30 THIS MORNING AT THE ADVANCE AMERICA CASH ADVANCE STORE ON NORTH BENEVA. A MAN WALKED IN WITH A GUN AND DEMANDED MONEY... ONCE HE GOT THE CASH... HE RAN OUT THE FRONT DOOR.

LENGTH-01:52 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

SHE WAS A HEALTHY 15 YEAR OLD ...AT CHURCH IN HER HOMETOWN OF FOND DU LAC, WISCONSIN WHEN A BAT STARTED FLYING AROUND...LANDING ON THE FLOOR. JEANNA GIESE ASKED HER MOTHER IF SHE COULD PICK IT UP I NEVER THOUGHT ANYTHING OF IT. I SAID SURE...IF YOU WANT TO. I WOULDN'T DO IT. SO SHE TOOK IT BY THE TIPS OF THE WINGS AND TOOK IT OUT...AND AS SHE SET IT IN THE TREE. IT REACHED OUT AND BIT HER IN THE FINGER. THE CUT HEALED QUICKLY, AND HER PARENTS DIDN'T WORRY ABOUT IT... UNTIL JEANNA GOT VERY SICK A MONTH LATER..AND WAS DIAGNOSED WITH RABIES. IT WAS TOO LATE FOR THE VACCINE TO DO ANY GOOD THE BEST THING TO DO WAS TO PROVIDE COMFORT CARE, AND LET THE DISEASE TAKE ITS COURSE. SO YOU TOLD THE PARENTS THEIR DAUGHTER WAS GOING TO DIE? YES, AND IT WASN'T AN EASY THING TO DO. AND THAT'S WHY WHAT HAPPENED 72 DAYS LATER WAS SO AMAZING. JEANNA WENT HOME... A MEDICAL FIRST: THE ONLY KNOWN SURVIVOR OF RABIES WITHOUT A VACCINATION. WE DON'T KNOW WHY JEANNA IS THE ONE THAT GOD SAVED, BUT HE DID. JEANNA'S DAMAGED NERVES ARE STILL RECONNECTING... SO ITS NOT THAT EASY FOR HER TO WALK AND TALK.... YOU'RE A STAR BASKETBALL PLAYER...YEAH! VOLLEYBALL PLAYER? YEAH! WHAT ELSE? SOFTBALL! WHAT POSITION DO YOU PLAY? SECOND BASE...HOW SOON DO YOU WANT TO BE AT SECOND BASE...SOON. AND THAT, DOCTORS SAY IS A REALISTIC GOAL, BECAUSE HER IMPROVEMENT AT REHAB IN FOND DU LAC.... HAS BEEN AS DRAMATIC AS THE EXPERIMENTAL TREATMENT THAT SAVED HER LIFE IN MILWAUKEE. DOCTORS PURPOSELY PUT JEANNA INTO A COMA, AS A TEAM OF SPECIALISTS LED BY DR. RODNEY WILLOUGHBY HOPED MEDICINE WOULD PROTECT HER BRAIN WHILE HER IMMUNE SYSTEM WOULD FIGHT THE RABIES. IT'S OUTSIDE OF OUR UNDERSTANDING OF BIOLOGY AND MEDICINE AS IT STOOD A COUPLE OF MONTHS AGO, SO ITS MIRACULOUS, WILL IT WORK AGAIN? I SURE HOPE SO. IN WHICH CASE, IT BECOMES SCIENCE AS WELL AS MIRACLE. JEANNA IS NOW OUT OF DANGER... AND GETTING TUTORED AT HOME....READY TO RETURN TO SCHOOL FULL TIME LATER THIS MONTH ... MY MAIN GOAL WAS JUST TO KEEP THINKING IT WOULD WORK OUT. SHE LOST MUSCLE MASS, BUT NOT HER INTELLECT, OR SENSE OF HUMOR. DO YOU GET TIRED OF DOING THE THERAPY? SOMETIMES. DO YOU TELL YOUR PARENTS, YOU KNOW, I DON'T WANT TO GO!?!? YEP! AND WHAT DO THEY SAY TO YOU? TOO BAD, YOU'RE GOING!!! (LAUGHS) JEANNA HAS RECEIVED HUNDREDS OF LETTERS AND PACKAGES FROM AROUND THE WORLD... LEAVING HER VERY EMOTIONAL. DEAR JEANNA, I JUST HAD TO GIVE YOU A NOTE TO TELL YOU HOW MUCH I LOVE AND CARE ABOUT YOU (STARTS CRYING) ... AND VERY GRATEFUL.

IN JACKSONVILLE A DEADLY THEFT. 2 TEENAGER BOYS WHO STOLE A CAR DIED IN A CRASH. TWO OTHER BOYS IN THE CAR WERE HOSPITALIZED. FIFTEEN-YEAR-OLD CEDRIC REED AND 11-YEAR-OLD KADEEM HOWELL DIED. INVESTIGATORS SAY THE 15-YEAR-OLD WAS LIKELY DRIVING AND RAN A RED LIGHT WHEN THE VEHICLE WAS HIT BY ANOTHER CAR. THE SECOND EXPLODED INTO FLAMES. THE FLORIDA HIGHWAY PATROL SAYS THAT CAR'S 2-OCCUPANTS ARE RECOVERING IN THE HOSPITAL.

LENGTH-00:27 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

STRANGE CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING A DEATH IN HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY... FLORIDA HIGHWAY PATROL TROOPERS RESPONDING TO A SINGLE-CAR CRASH ON I-75 YESTERDAY, FOUND A MAN INSIDE A PICK-UP-TRUCK, SHOT TO DEATH. DEPUTIES CLOSED THE ROAD, AND TRAFFIC SAT FOR HOURS... WHILE AUTHORITIES SEARCHED FOR CLUES, SIDE-BY-SIDE, ON FOOT. INVESTIGATORS AREN'T SURE IF THE SHOOTING WAS AN ACT OF ROAD RAGE, AND THEY HAVE NO DESCRIPTION OF THE SHOOTER OR THE OTHER VEHICLE.

MARCH 8, 2005

LENGTH-01:03 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

NO MATTER HOW PEOPLE LAUGH -- THE CHUCKLE, THE CACKLE, THE GAFFAUGH --THIS LATEST RESEARCH SHOWS IT'S ALL A POWERFUL POTION FOR THE HEART. SB FOR THE FIRST TIME, WE'RE ABLE TO DEMONSTRATE THAT LAUGHTER, A POSITIVE EMOTION, IMPROVES THE HEALTH OF YOUR ARTERIES. Reporter MCKENZIE: THE FIRST THINGS DOCTORS NEEDED FOR THIS EXPERIMENT, WERE SOME GOOD, FUNNY MOVIES, SUCH AS "THERE'S SOMETHING ABOUT MARY." THE VOLUNTEERS, THERE WERE 20 IN ALL, WATCHED AND LAUGHED. IMMEDIATELY AFTERWARD, RESEARCHERS MEASURED AN ARTERY IN EACH VOLUNTEER. YOU COULD SEE THE DIFFERENCE. AFTER THE MOVIE, THE ARTERIES WERE SO RELAXED, THEY EXPANDED 22%. WHICH MEANT MORE BLOOD FLOWING MORE EASILY THROUGHOUT THE BODY. SB WHEN YOU BLOOD FLOW INCREASES, IT IS OVERALL BETTER FOR YOUR HEART AND OTHER ORGANS BECAUSE YOU'RE DELIVERING MORE OXYGEN. Reporter MCKENZIE: "KINGPIN," ANOTHER COMEDY SOME VOLUNTEERS SAW -- PRODUCED THE KIND OF BENEFIT TO ARTERIES NORMALLY SEEN AFTER 20 TO 30 MINUTES OF JOGGING. THE MOST LIKELY EXPLANATION, SAY RESEARCHERS, IS THAT LAUGHING REDUCES THE PRODUCTION OF STRESS HORMONES IN THE BODY, AND INCREASES CHEMICALS THAT MAKE BLOOD VESSELS RELAX. NO ONE KNOWS HOW LONG THE HEALTH BENEFITS OF LAUGHTER CAN LAST. BUT THE STUDY SUGGESTS A FEW HEARTY CHUCKLES EACH A DAY COULD BE A VALUABLE PRESCRIPTION BUT MUCH DEPENDS O IN THE ENTERTAINMENT.

LENGTH-00:14 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

DELAND POLICE ARE WAITING FOR AUTOPSY RESULTS ON A MAN WHO DIED YESTERDAY AFTER OFFICERS USED A TASER ON HIM. POLICE TRIED TO ARREST THE MAN FOR BURGLARY BUT SAY HE RESISTED. OFFICERS USED PEPPER SPRAY THEN TASERED HIM THREE TIMES. POLICE SAY THE MAN ADMITTED TO HAVING USED COCAINE EARLIER IN THE DAY.

LENGTH-00:39 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

FLORIDA DRUG AGENTS HAVE ARRESTED SOME HIGH-TECH MASTERMINDS. YESTERDAY IN HIALEAH THEY RAIDED WHAT LOOKED LIKE A TYPICAL HOUSE IN A TYPICAL NEIGHBORHOOD. BUT THEY SAY INSIDE, THE HOUSE WAS ANYTHING BUT TYPICAL,...IT WAS FULL OF HIGH TECH EQUIPMENT USED TO GROW MARIJUANA. POLICE ARRESTED TWO MEN AND FOUND THOUSANDS OF MARIJUANA PLANTS FROM A LAB THAT TOOK AN ESTIMATED FIVE YEARS TO BUILD. "YOU HAVE TO ALSO TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION THAT IT'S ALL CEMENTED IN, SO I DON'T KNOW IF THEY BROUGHT IN A CEMENT TRUCK OUT HERE, I DOUBT IT. MAYBE THEY DID IT BY HAND. AND YOU'RE ALSO GOING TO HIT WATER, THAT'S ANOTHER PROBLEM. SO, IT TOOK A LITTLE BIT OF ENGINEERING TO FABRICATE THE BASEMENT." NEIGHBORS WERE STUNNED BY THE RAID OF THE HOUSE, SAYING A NORMAL FAMILY APPEARED TO LIVE INSIDE.

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A NEW STUDY SHOWS ASPIRIN MAY DO MORE THAN JUST GET RID OF A HEADACHE... A NEW STUDY SHOWS REGULAR LOW DOSES OF ASPIRIN CAN HELP MIDDLE-AGE WOMEN CUT THEIR RISK OF STROKES. THE WOMEN'S HEALTH STUDY REPORTS ASPIRIN HELPS PREVENT HEART ATTACKS AS WELL IN WOMEN 65 AND OLDER. THE STUDY COMPLIMENTS EARLIER STUDIES DONE ON ASPIRIN'S EFFECTS ON MEN WHICH SHOW IT TO BE BENEFICIAL FOR PREVENTING HEART ATTACKS.

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

ANOTHER CHARLOTTE COUNTY WOMAN FACES D-U-I CHARGES AFTER AN ACCIDENT LAST FRIDAY. DEPUTIES ARRESTED 24-YEAR-OLD MARCY EDWARDS. OFFICERS SAY SHE LOST CONTROL OF HER VEHICLE IN PUNTA GORDA LAST FRIDAY AFTERNOON AND CRASHED HEAD-ON INTO A JEEP THAT A CHARLOTTE COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS EMPLOYEE WAS DRIVING. ACCORDING TO THE REPORT HER BLOOD ALCOHOL LEVEL REGISTERED POINT ONE SEVEN FOUR, MORE THAN TWICE THE LEGAL LIMIT. EDWARDS' EIGHT AND FIVE YEAR OLD DAUGHTERS WERE IN THE CAR. BECAUSE OF THAT SHE'S ALSO FACING CHILD ABUSE CHARGES.

LENGTH-01:23 ISSUE-CRIME 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

IT'S AN OLD CRIME, PUMPED TO NEW LEVELS. HITTING THE TIGER MART IN SALISBURY, MARYLAND. THE BP AMOCO STATION IN STEPHEN'S POINT, WISCONSIN. AND THIS MOBILE STATION IN BROOKLINE, MASSACHUSETTS. "A CUSTOMER TOOK

OFF WITH 36-DOLLARS OF GASOLINE//ONCE THE LIGHT CAME GREEN, FLEW OUT OF HERE LIKE YOU WOULDN'T BELIEVE IT." SOARING GAS PRICES THAT HAVE FRUSTRATED SOME DRIVERS..."I'VE BEEN UPSET ABOUT IT." "CLUNK" ...AND SPAWNED THIS BOYCOTT GAS WEBSITE BY AN ANGRY REAL ESTATE BROKER. SOT: "THIS ONE JUST DID IT! THEY'RE INTO MY WALLET. I DIDN'T LIKE IT!" TRK: HAVE BEEN DRIVING UP SO CALLED "GAS AND DASH" INCIDENTS. COSTING SOME RETAILERS AS MUCH AS 800-DOLLARS IN LOSSES A MONTH. "IT'S GONE FROM A TEEN WHO MIGHT BE DOING IT FOR A THRILL TO ALL DEMOGRAPHICS, TO LATE MODEL SUVS PULLING OUT WITH UPWARDS OF 50 TO 60 DOLLARS WORTH OF GAS."IN SURVEILLANCE TAPE OBTAINED BY CNN FROM THE MARYLAND MART, A DRIVER PULLS IN, FILLS UP, REPLACES THE GAS CAP WHILE APPEARING TO LOOK AROUND, MAKES AN ODD MANEUVER, THEN ACCORDING TO MANAGEMENT, DRIVES OFF THE SAME, THEY ALLEGED FOR THIS WOMAN, WHO WITHOUT PAYING A DIME. CASUALLY CLEANS HER WINDSHIELD BEFORE TAKING OFF. AND ONE MORE, FLIES AN AMERICAN FLAG WHILE ALLEGEDLY PUMPING AND RUNNING AND THERE'S THE ISSUE OF PROFITS. "THEY ALSO ARE LESS LIKELY TO GO INSIDE THE STORE AND BUY OTHER ITEMS WHERE MARGINS ARE MUCH HEALTHIER." SO SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS, LIKE THIS ONE IN WISCONSIN, HELP RETAILERS TRACK THE LICENSE PLATE NUMBERS OF OFFENDERS. AND IN SOME 25 STATES, PUNISHMENT COULD INCLUDE THE TEMPORARY LOSS OF A DRIVERS LICENSE. "IT'S OKAY!" IN BROOKLINE, ELIAS AUDY HOPES TO INSTALL SECURITY CAMERAS AT HIS STATION, SO THE NEXT TIME SOMEONE DRIVES OFF WITH HIS GAS, HE'LL HAVE THE EVIDENCE ON TAPE.

LENGTH-01:35 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOWTIME-5:30

69 YEAR-OLD EDNA TIEMENN IS ONCE AGAIN SITTING IN THE EMERGENCY ROOM AT MANATEE MEMORIAL... SHE'S HAD A SETBACK FROM MEDICATION SHE'S TAKING FOR ACUTE BRONCHITIS... SHE CAME IN LAST FRIDAY AND WAS ADMITTED.. BUT NOT BEFORE A LONG WAIT...IT WAS QUARTER 'TIL 11 THAT NIGHT.. BEFORE COULD FIND A BED FOR ME..." HOSPITAL WORKERS SAY THE *AVERAGE* WAIT TIME CAN BE AROUND SIX HOURS...ESPECIALLY IN THE PAST COUPLE OF MONTHS WITH ABOUT 60-THOUSAND SEASONAL VISITORS IN TOWN..."THAT COMBINED WITH FACT.. DURING THESE MONTHS.. YOU GET MOST INFLUENZA, RESPIRATORY PROBLEMS.. THOSE COMPLICATIONS EXACERBATE NORMAL SITUATIONS..." MANATEE MEMORIAL'S EMERGENCY SERVICES DIRECTOR SAYS IT'S A FULL HOUSE...MANY PATIENTS COME TO THE EMERGENCY ROOM FIRST BEFORE GOING TO A WALK-IN CLINIC OR A DOCTOR'S OFFICE...AND THAT CAUSES THE E-R TO OVERFLOW.. WITH BEDS LINING THE HALLS..."WE HAVE SEVEN PATIENTS WHO WALKED IN., WITHIN A SPAN OF FIVEMINUTES.. THEY'RE IN THE PROCESS OF BEING TRIAGED.. IT'S BEEN VERY BUSY.. CURRENTLY HOLDING 7 PATIENTS.. WHO'RE WAITING FOR PATIENT BEDS.. TWO OF THOSE.. I-C-U..." HOSPITAL WORKERS HERE ARE ASKING THE PUBLIC TO SEEK MEDICAL ATTENTION ELSEWHERE IF THEY'RE DEALING WITH A MINOR, NON-LIFE-THREATENING SITUATION..."THOSE PEOPLE ARE STILL TRIAGED.. PUT INTO A ROOM UNTIL THEY'RE ASSESSED.. AND DISCHARGED.. IT DOES HOLD UP EVERYBODY ELSE.. FROM GETTING IN TO SEE THE PHYSICIAN..."

MARCH 9, 2005

LENGTH-01:11 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

THESE ADOPTIVE PARENTS: BRENDA AND WILSON SULLIVAN.. BEHIND BARS.. CHARGED WITH CHILD NEGLECT SO SEVERE.. THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES CALLS IT DISGUSTING. D-C-F FIRST STARTED LOOKING INTO THE FAMILY IN JANUARY.. THAT'S WHEN THEY TOOK 3 CHILDREN OUT OF THE HOUSE, OFFICERS RESPONDED., THEY NOTICED THE CHILDREN PARTICULARILY A 17 YEAR OLD LOOKED FRAIL AND UNDERNOURISHED. D-C-F FOUND THAT 17 YEAR OLD TO WEIGH ONLY 48 POUNDS. A POLICE REPORT SAYS: THE VICTIM APPEARED TO BE VERY SHORT AND UNDERWEIGHT FOR HIS AGE OF 17 YEARS. HE WAS WEARING A DIAPER.. AND APPEARED TO BE VERY DEVELOPMENTALLY DELAYED. HE HAD THE AVERAGE HEIGHT OF A 9 1/2 YEAR OLD AND THE AVERAGE WEIGHT OF A 6 AND 1/2 YEAR OLD.... THIS CHILD SUFFERS FROM THE RESULT OF PSYCHOSOCIAL DWARFISM AND STARVATION. THE PARENTS INDICATED IT WAS TO CONFINE THE CHILD DUE TO HIM EATING LARGE AMOUNTS OF FOOD AT NIGHT AND BEHAVIORAL PROBLEMS. D-C-F RECEIVED AN ANONYMOUS TIP THAT LEAD TO THE ARRESTS OF THE COUPLE.. D-C-F SAYS: THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES REACTED SWIFTLY IN RESPONSE TO THE ALLEGATIONS OF SEVERE ABUSE OF THESE CHILDREN. ALTHOUGH STATE CONFIDENTIALITY LAWS PREVENT THE DEPARTMENT FROM RELEASING FULL DETAILS.. WE CAN CONFIRM THAT THE VERY FIRST CALL TO THE STATE ABUSE HOTLINE RESULTED IN THE CHILDREN BEING REMOVED FROM THE HOME. WE WERE DISGUSTED AND OUTRAGED BY THE CONDITION OF THE CHILDREN AT THAT TIME. D-C-F HAS BEEN WORKING WITH LAW ENFORCEMENT ON THIS CASE. WE ARE PLEASED TO REPORT THAT THE CHILDREN ARE NOW SAFE AND IMPROVING.

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

TAKE A LOOK AT THE RASH AND SCARRING WHAT THEY CALL "BLACK HENNA" CAN CAUSE. WE FOUND THESE PICTURES ONLINE, BUT HEALTH LEADERS SAY YOU COULD FIND THE SAME THING ON YOUR BODY --IF YOU'RE NOT CAREFUL. REGULAR HENNA -- LIKE THE STUFF IN THESE KITS WE FOUND AT A LOCAL T-SHIRTS SHOP --USUALLY COMES IN A REDDISH-BROWN OR YELLOW COLOR. WHAT MAKES THE BAD STUFF BLACK IS A TAR YOU NEVER WANT TO PUT ON YOUR BODY. THE DYES USED IN THESE HENNA TATTOOS ARE FOR HAIR DYES, COSMETICS. THEY'RE NOT APPROVED FOR USE ON THE SKIN.

LENGTH-00:50 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

DOCTORS HAVE SHOWN HOW THEY CAN REGENERATE PARTS OF A HEART THAT HAVE BEEN DESTROYED BY A HEART ATTACK. DOCTORS SUCCESSFULLY TRANSPLANTED MUSCLE CELLS CALLED MYOBLASTS FROM HIS THIGH INTO HIS HEART. THESE MYOBLASTS ARE VERY YOUNG MUSCLE CELLS... AND THEY CAN BECOME OTHER TYPES OF MUSCLE CELLS. AFTER THE MYOBLASTS WERE CULTURED IN THE LAB AND GROWN, THEY WERE INJECTED INTO THE HEARTS OF PATIENTS WHO HAD SEVERE HEART FAILURE DUE TO A HEART ATTACK. THE HEART FUNCTION OF THE PATIENTS IMPROVED MARKEDLY. "WE CAN REGENERATE A SCAR TISSUE CAUSED BY A HEART ATTACK. SOMETHING WE LEARNED THE OPPOSITE IN MEDICAL SCHOOL." THERE ARE OVER TWO MILLION ADMISSIONS FOR CONGESTIVED HEART FAILURE IN THE U.S. EACH YEAR AND 70 PERCENT OF THEM ARE BECAUSE OF A PREVIOUS HEART ATTACK. THERE'S NEW EVIDENCE DOCTORS CAN TURN DEAD HEART MUSCLE AFTER A HEART ATTACK, INTO LIVING PUMPING MUSCLE. DOCTORS HAVE FIGURED OUT A WAY REGAIN HEART MUSCLE FUNCTION... BY INJECTING LEG MUSCLE CELLS INTO THEM.

WE'LL SHOW YOU THIS INCREDIBLE MEDICAL ADVANCE, COMING UP.

MARCH 10, 2005

LENGTH-01:57 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

RONALD DALE SMITH AND ANTHONY DEBOY WERE WITH FIVE *OTHER* INMATES OUT IN THE YARD..THERE ON A RECREATION BREAK. "THE INMATES THAT ESCAPED WERE ABLE TO GET A LARGE PICNIC TABLE THAT'S STORED IN THIS AREA, AND STOOD IT AGAINST THAT DOOR THERE.. STOOD ON THE TABLE, WITH IT STANDING ON ITS END.. AND WERE ABLE TO MOVE THE RIBBON WIRE - RAZOR WIRE - TO GET UP ON THAT ROOF, AND THEN GET ON THE NEXT ROOF.. WHICH ENABLED THEM TO GET OFF ONTO THE GROUND OUTSIDE THE PERIMETER FENCE." THE 'GUARDS' MISSED IT ALL.. THE VIEW FROM THE CONTROL ROOM'S LOUSY AT NIGHT.. AND THE COURTYARD'S LONE CAMERA WAS OUT OF COMMISSION. "THE WHOLE BACK OF THE JAIL IS WRAPPED IN A PERIMETER FENCE THAT HAS RAZOR WIRE AT THE TOP - BUT WHEN THE WALLS GET 20 FEET HIGH, THAT FENCING STOPS. AND THAT IS WHERE THE INMATES WENT TO JUMP TO FREEDOM." "ALL THEY'VE GOT TO DO - IS TIME TO SIT AROUND AND TRY TO FIGURE OUT EITHER HOW TO BEAT THE SYSTEM, OR AGGRAVATE THE EMPLOYEES THAT ARE HERE TO TAKE CARE OF THEM, OR FIGURE OUT HOW TO LEAVE. ALL THEY'VE GOT ON THEIR HANDS IS TIME.""24 HOURS A DAY, 7 DAYS A WEEK - INMATES - ALL THEY'VE GOT TO DO, TIME TO SIT AROUND AND TRY TO FIGURE OUT EITHER HOW TO BEAT THE SYSTEM, OR AGGRAVATE THE EMPLOYEES THAT ARE HERE TO TAKE CARE OF THEM, OR FIGURE OUT HOW TO LEAVE." SO DEPUTIES HAVE SPENT LOTS OF *THEIR TIME* COOKING UP WAYS TO STOP INMATES FROM PULLING IT OFF AGAIN. "SINCE THEN, WE'VE PUT UP MORE RIBBON WIRE.. AND WE'LL PUT UP RAZOR WIRE AROUND THIS WHOLE AREA HERE." "THIS IS ONE OF THE PICNIC TABLES THAT WAS USED BY THE INMATES TO PUT UP AGAINST THE WALL TO EFFECT THEIR ESCAPE. AND THIS IS THE BRACKETS WHERE OUR MAINTENANCE PEOPLE HAVE ATTACHED THEM TO THE CONCRETE." THEY'VE *RETHOUGHT* *MUCH* OF THEIR SECURITY SCHEME. THERE'LL BE MORE HEADCOUNTS.. LESS ACTIVITY AT NIGHT.. AND THE REC YARD WILL GET CUT TO A QUARTER OF ITS SIZE. UNTIL THAT ADDED PROTECTION'S IN PLACE - EVEN THIS *TINY PATCH* OF THE OUTDOORS - WILL STAY - OFF-LIMITS.

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A HORRIBLE DISCOVERY IN CHICAGO. THE BODY OF A THREE-YEAR OLD BOY HAS BEEN FOUND IN A DUMPSTER... A HOMELESS MAN DIGGING THROUGH THE GARBAGE FOUND THE TODDLER'S BODY IN A WHITE TRASH BAG YESTERDAY. POLICE ARE NOW WORKING TO DETERMINE WHO'S RESPONSIBLE FOR THE BOY'S DEATH. NEIGHBORS ARE SHOCKED. "A PERSON THAT DOESN'T HAVE NO FEELINGS, NO HEART. BECAUSE IF THAT PERSON HAD FEELINGS, HE WOULDN'T DO ANYTHING LIKE THAT."DOCTORS DON'T KNOW YET HOW THE BOY DIED...AN AUTOPSY IS BEING CONDUCTED.

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME 12:00

CHICAGO POLICE ARE INVESTIGATING A SUICIDE NEAR MILWAUKEE THEY SAY COULD BE CONNECTED TO THE MURDERS OF A FEDERAL JUDGES HUSBAND AND MOTHER.

JUDGE JOAN LEFKOW (LEF'-KOH) FOUND THE BODIES WHEN SHE CAME HOME FROM WORK LAST WEEK. A CHICAGO NEWSPAPER SAYS A MAN WHO SHOT HIMSELF DURING A TRAFFIC STOP YESTERDAY LEFT A NOTE CLAIMING RESPONSIBILITY. THE NOTE GAVE DETAILS OF THE KILLINGS AND IN IT THE MAN CLAIMS A RULING BY THE JUDGE COST HIM HIS JOB, HOUSE AND FAMILY.

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-12:00

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL IS BALKING AT SUBPOENAS FOR SOME OF ITS STARS TO TESTIFY AT CONGRESSIONAL HEARINGS ON STEROID USE. THE COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE SAYS IT WILL FIGHT THE CALL FOR TESTIMONY, ALONG WITH DOCUMENTS AND RECORDS ON BASEBALL'S OWN DRUG TESTING. OFFICIALS SAY THE COMMITTEE IS VIOLATING BASEBALL'S PRIVACY RIGHTS AND VOW TO TAKE THE ISSUE TO COURT. BUT LEADERS OF THE COMMITTEE SAY IT'S IMPORTANT TO GET THE FACTS. TJOSE CANSECO, MARK MCGWIRE AND JASON GIAMBI ARE ON THE LIST TO TESTIFY.

LENGTH-01:11 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

THIS HAS THE POTENTIAL TO BE A HUGE ADVANCE IN CARDIOLOGY. IT USED TO BE THAT ONCE A PIECE OF HEART DIED AFTER A HEART ATTACK. IT COULDN'T BE BROUGHT BACK. BUT NOW, THAT'S CHANGING. "HEARING I HAD CONGESTIVE FAILURE I WAS VERY CONCERNED OBVIOUSLY BECAUSE I REALIZED THE PROGNOSIS WITH CONGESTIVE FAILURE IS NOT VERY GREAT LONG TERM." SAMUEL COHEN THOUGHT HIS WEAKENED HEART AS A RESULT OF A HEART ATTACK COULDN'T BE FIXED. BUT TODAY, THERE'S NO EVIDENCE HE'S SLOWING DOWN. HE'S ONE OF THE FIRST PATIENTS AT THE ARIZONA HEART INSTITUTE IN PHOENIX TO RECEIVE A VERY SPECIAL PROCEDURE: ALMOST THREE YEARS AGO, DOCTORS SUCCESSFULLY TRANSPLANTED MUSCLE CELLS CALLED MYOBLASTS FROM HIS THIGH INTO HIS HEART. THESE MYOBLASTS ARE VERY YOUNG MUSCLE CELLS...AND THEY CAN TRANSFORM INTO OTHER TYPES OF MUSCLE CELLS. HEART MUSCLE CAN'T REGENERATE. BUT SKELETAL MUSCLE...THE MUSCLE ON OUR BODY, OUR ARMS, AND LEGS...HAS MYOBLASTS AND CAN. AFTER THE MYOBLASTS WERE CULTURED IN THE LAB AND GROWN, THEY WERE INJECTED INTO THE HEARTS OF PATIENTS WHO HAD SEVERE HEART FAILURE DUE TO A HEART ATTACK. THERE WAS INCREDIBLE EVIDENCE OF NEW TISSUE FORMATION... THE HEART FUNCTION OF THE PATIENTS IMPROVED MARKEDLY. "WE CAN REGENERATE A SCAR TISSUE CAUSED BY A HEART ATTACK. SOMETHING WE LEARNED THE OPPOSITE IN MEDICAL SCHOOL." THESE IMAGES SHOW THAT LIVING HEART MUSCLE... SEEN IN RED... HAD GROWN BACK FOUR WEEKS LATER IN THIS ONE PATIENT. ON THESE MOVING IMAGES...CLEAR EVIDENCE THAT THE HEART CAN CONTRACT AND PUMP MUCH BETTER THREE MONTHS AFTER GETTING THE INJECTION. THE FINDINGS HAVE EVEN THE CONSERVATIVE RESEARCHERS OPTIMISTIC. "DEFINITELY IN THE FUTURE THE WAY WE ARE GOING TO TREAT HEART ATTACK PATIENTS WILL BE DIFFERENT." WHILE THE PROCEDURE WAS PERFORMED ON 24 PATIENTS DURING BYPASS SURGERY, WITH THE CHEST OPEN, TWO PATIENTS AT THE ARIZONA HEART INSTITUE NOW HAVE HAD THE MYOBLAST TRANSPLANTATION PERFORMED WITH THE CHEST CLOSED...THE CELLS DELIVERED THROUGH A CATHETER INTO THE HEART USING 3-D MAPPING TO DETERMINE THE PRECISE LOCATION OF THE TARGET AREA. THE USE OF MYOBLASTS ARE AN EXCITING BREAKTHROUGH...THAT COULD GIVE SERIOUS HEART ATTACK PATIENTS,

LIKE SAMUEL, A FIGHTING CHANCE. "HE WAS WAS SEEING THAT THERE WAS LIFE WHERE THERE WAS NO LIFE BEFORE. IT'S UNBELIEVABLY AMAZING."

LENGTH-01:35 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:30

CHERACE PETERSON SPENDS MOST OF HER DAYS NOW LYING AROUND. WATCHING TELEVISION...THE 32-YEAR-OLD WAS DIAGNOSED WITH SPINA BIFADA SHORTLY AFTER BIRTH... SHE HAD SURGERY TO CLOSE HER SPINE.. AND A SHUNT PUT IN HER HEAD... "SHE'S HAD MANY, MANY SURGERIES.. 9 OF THE SHUNT ONES.. ONE WHICH CAUSED HER TO HEMMORAGE AT THE BRAIN.. AND THAT'S WHAT TOOK HER SIGHT.. WHEN SHE WAS 11 YEARS OLD..." IT WAS AFTER SHE GRADUATED FROM SOUTHEAST HIGH SCHOOL IN 19-93 THAT SHE HAD HER FIRST KIDNEY TRANSPLANT..."HER KIDNEY WAS SUPPOSED TO LAST FOR EIGHT YEARS.. BUT BY THE GRACE OF GOD.. IT LASTED 11 YEARS..." THAT KIDNEY WAS REMOVED ABOUT FOUR MONTHS AGO.. AND NOW CHERACE IS ON DIALYSIS... WAITING FOR *ANOTHER* KIDNEY..SHE'S TAKING 13 DIFFERENT MEDICATIONS.. AND NEEDS MEDICAL SUPPLIES THAT COST OVER 25-HUNDRED-DOLLARS A MONTH ... "I SPEND A LOT OF TIME RESTING.. IT DOESN'T LEAVE ME TOO ENERGETIC.. BEING THAT I DO IT THREE TIMES A WEEK..." "SHE JUST NEEDS A KIDNEY.. THE DIALYSIS IS NOT WORKING.. REALLY NOT WORKING FOR HER..." EVEN THOUGH SHE'S BEEN THROUGH A LOT., CHERACE IS AN INSPIRATION., SHE MANAGES TO KEEP HER SPIRITS UP BY WRITING SONGS...IT'S THROUGH THIS C-D.. RECORDED WITH THE HELP OF HER CHURCH FAMILY AND FRIENDS.. THAT SHE REACHES OUT TO OTHERS..."I TRY TO LOOK BEYOND MY SITUATION.. NOT FOCUS SO MUCH ON WHAT I'M GOING THROUGH.. IN ORDER TO HELP SOMEBODY ELSE.. ANOTHER THING THAT KEEPS ME GOING..."

MARCH 11, 2005

LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THERE'S NEW LIMITS ON SMOG AND SOOT POLLUTION. THE EPA'S NEW "CLEAN AIR INTERSTATE RULE" IS DESIGNED TO HELP MILLIONS OF PEOPLE WHO LIVE DOWNWIND FROM THE DIRTIEST COAL-FIRED POWER PLANTS IN THE EAST, SOUTH AND MIDWEST. THE RULE COVERS 28 STATES, INCLUDING FLORIDA.. THE BUSH ADMINISTRATION BELIEVES THE NEW RULE WILL PREVENT TENS OF THOUSANDS OF PREMATURE DEATHS, NONFATAL HEART ATTACKS AND RESPIRATORY PROBLEMS.

LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

LOS ANGELES POLICE SAY TWO MEN PLANNED A SHOOTOUT WITH OFFICERS THIS MORNING... LOADING THEIR S-U-V WITH AMMUNITION, AND PROVOKING A HIGH-SPEED CHASE. AUTHORITITES SAY ONE MAN WAS KILLED... THE OTHER INJURED. THE CHASE STARTED WHEN THE DRIVER WOULDN'T STOP WHEN POLICE TRIED TO PULL HIM OVER FOR SUSPECTED DRUNK DRIVING. AS OFFICERS FOLLOWED THE DRIVER, HE MADE SEVERAL U-TURNS SO THE PASSENGER COULD SHOOT AT THE OFFICERS. THE CHASE ENDED WHEN THEIR CAR CRASHED INTO A FENCE.

SOME CALIFORNIA HIGH SCHOOLERS GOT QUITE A SURPRISE YESTERDAY --COPS SAY THEIR TEACHER LIT UP A JOINT AND SMOKED IT! 22-YEAR OLD TEACHER CHRISTOPHER BOCHIN IS FACING FELONY DRUG CHARGES AFTER HIS "POT PARTY." THE STUDENTS WHO PLAYED ALONG DID NOT GET ARRESTED --BUT YOU CAN BET THEIR PARENTS HAVE SOME PUNISHMENT IN MIND.

LENGTH-00:36 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

POLICE AND AMBULANCES CROWDED THE STREETS OUTSIDE THE FULTON COUNTY COURTHOUSE SHORTLY AFTER THE SHOOTINGS WERE REPORTED. ACCORDING TO EARLY REPORTS, THE ALLEGED SHOOTER GRABBED A GUN FROM A DEPUTY INSIDE AN EIGHTH FLOOR COURTROOM AND OPENED FIRE. ONE OF THOSE SHOT WAS JUDGE ROWLAND BARNES, WHO WAS KILLED IN THE ATTACK. ONE LOCAL HOSPITAL REPORTED THAT TWO DEPUTIES WERE BEING TREATED THERE. AS POLICE SEARCHED THE COURTHOUSE FOR THE GUNMAN, ALL OF THE OTHER JUDGES IN THE BUILDING WERE LOCKED IN THEIR CHAMBERS. THE COURTHOUSE AS WELL AS SEVERAL OTHER BUILDINGS IN DOWNTOWN ATLANTA WERE ON ALSO LOCKED DOWN. THE SUSPECT, IDENTIFIED AS A THIRTY-FOUR YEAR OLD BRIAN NICHOLS, THEN REPORTEDLY FLED THE BUILDING, ESCAPING IN ONE OF SEVERAL CARS THAT HE CARJACKED.

LENGTH-01:58 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

THE RESEARCHERS FOUND THAT SKIN TISSUE CHOLESTEROL LEVELS ARE DIRECTLY RELATED TO CARDIOVASCULAR RISK, AND THEY BELIEVE THIS TEST, CALLED PREVUE. CAN HELP PREDICT A PERSON'S RISK FOR HEART DISEASE AND STROKE. FOR 107-MILLION AMERICANS, THERE IS NO END TO THE WAR AGAINST CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE. KEEPING YOUR GOOD CHOLESTEROL UP AND YOUR BAD CHOLESTEROL DOWN IS A DAILY STRUGGLE. THERE'S NO GUARANTEE THAT EVEN WHEN YOU GET IT RIGHT-THAT IT WILL SAVE YOU FROM A HEART ATTACK. "CHOLESTEROL IS NOT A PERFECT PREDICTOR. THERE ARE PATIENTS WHO HAVE HEART ATTACKS WITH HIGH CHOLESTEROL LEVELS-AND PATIENTS WHO HAVE HEART ATTACKS WITH LOW CHOLESTEROL LEVELS." THE PATIENTS --DOCTORS ARE MOST CONCERNED ABOUT-ARE THOSE ON THE BORDERLINE-WHOSE LEVELS FLUCTUATE BETWEEN BEING NORMAL AND A LITTLE HIGH. ACCORDING TO RESEARCHERS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN, A NEW SKIN CHOLESTEROL TEST MAY BE ONE OF THE BEST OPTIONS FOR THESE PATIENTS. "A LOT OF PEOPLE DON'T REALIZE THAT THE SKIN IS THE BODY'S LARGEST REPOSITORY OF CHOLESTEROL." IN FACT, SKIN CONTAINS APPROXIMATELY 11-PERCENT OF THE CHOLESTEROL FOUND IN THE BODY... AND IT TURNS OUT TO BE ALMOST LIKE A CRYSTAL BALL. "WE FOUND THAT THE AMOUNT OF CHOLESTEROL IN THE SKIN WAS A GOOD PREDICTOR OF PATIENTS WHO HAD ADVANCED ARTHEROSCLEROSIS IN THEIR NECK." DR. JAMES STEIN AND HIS COLLEAGUES COMPARED THE TEST TO AN ULTRASOUND OF THE ARTERIES IN THE NECK...AND THE RESULTS WERE ALMOST EQUAL. IT TAKES JUST A FEW MINUTES ---AND INVOLVES PLACING A PAD ON THE SKIN---ADDING A FEW DROPS OF A CHEMICAL SOLUTION AND WAITING... A DOCTOR OR TECHNICIAN READS THE "COLOR CHANGE"

OF THE AREA WITH A SPECIAL TOOL-AND THE RESULTS ARE DISPLAYED ON A COMPUTER SCREEN. AT THIS POINT SUCH A TEST WOULD ONLY BE AN ADDITION TO THE GOLD STANDARD *BLOOD* TEST SCREENING... WHICH MEASURES THE AMOUNT OF CHOLESTEROL FLOATING AROUND IN THE BLOODSTREAM. BUT IT MAY BE HELPFUL AS AN EARLY SCREENING TOOL TO DETECT CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE IN PATIENTS WITHOUT ANY SYMPTOMS. "IT MOVES CARDIOVASCULAR RISK PREDICTIONBACK TO THE DOCTOR'S OFFICE -WHICH IS THE PLACE IT BELONGS." IT'S ANOTHER TOOL IN A DOCTOR'S MEDICINE BAG-TO HELP PATIENT'S TAKE CHARGE OF THEIR HEART HEALTH.

LENGTH-00:16 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

MAKING AGENT ORANGE DURING THE VIETNAM WAR WAS NOT A WAR CRIME. THAT'S THE DECISION OF A U.S. JUDGE. THE JUDGE THREW OUT THE CLASS-ACTION LAWSUIT, BROUGHT BY A VIETNAMESE GROUP, YESTERDAY. THE CHEMICAL WAS USED TO DESTROY WOODED AREAS IN AN EFFORT TO EXPOSE COMMUNIST FIGHTERS AND HAS BEEN BLAMED FOR A VAST NUMBER OF HEALTH PROBLEMS INCLUDING CANCER.

LENGTH-01:28 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-11:00

BRUSHING MAY DO MORE THAN KEEP CAVITIES AWAY. RESEARCH SHOWS A HEALTHY MOUTH MIGHT REDUCE YOUR RISK OF STROKE AND HEART DISEASE. COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY INFECTIOUS DISEASE RESEARCHER MOSE DESVARIEUX (MOE-EEZE DAY-VAR-EE-UH), WHO LED THE STUDY, AND NEUROLOGIST RALPH SACCO (SACK-OH) REPORTED IN THE JOURNAL CIRCULATION THAT THICKENING OF AN ARTERY CALLED THE CAROTID (CAH-RAH-TID), AT WORK IN STROKE AND HEART ATTACK, IS ASSOCIATED WITH HIGH LEVELS OF ORAL BACTERIA FOUND IN GUM DISEASE. # THE RELATIONSHIP THAT WE HAVE BETWEEN GUM DISEASE, THE BACTERIA, AND THE THICKER CAROTID WAS ONLY PRESENT IN THE BAD BACTERIA AND NOT IN THE OTHER ONES. "THE RELATIONSHIP THAT WE HAVE BETWEEN GUM DISEASE, THE BACTERIA, AND THE THICKER CAROTID WAS ONLY PRESENT IN THE BAD BACTERIA AND NOT IN THE OTHER ONES." THE TEAM SPENT FIVE YEARS STUDYING 657 PEOPLE OVER AGE 55 OF MIXED RACE AND INCOME, ALL WITH NO STROKE HISTORY. THEY SCREENED PATIENTS FOR DIABETES, HYPERTENSION, AND SMOKING AND SAMPLED ELEVEN TYPES OF ORAL BACTERIA, FOUR THOUGHT TO CAUSE GUM DISEASE AND SEVEN THAT DON'T. THEN, THEY TOOK ULTRASOUNDS TO SCREEN FOR THICKENING OF THE CAROTID (CAH-RAH-TID) ARTERY. "WHEN YOU HAVE A BLOCKAGE THAT'S MORE THAN 70 PERCENT IN THE CAROTID ARTERY YOU CAN HAVE A SIGNIFICANT REDUCTION IN BLOOD FLOW TO THE BRAIN AND WHEN BLOOD FLOW IS (START COVER) REDUCED TO THE BRAIN YOU CAN HAVE WHAT'S CALLED A STROKE." BUT DESVARIEUX (DAY-VAR-EE-UH) EMPHASIZES THE LINK DOESN%T PROVE THESE BACTERIA LEAD TO HARDENING OF THE ARTERIES. THEY PLAN MORE RESEARCH INCLUDING FOLLOWING THE STUDY PATIENTS. # WE DON'T KNOW EXACTLY WHICH ONE CAME FIRST, THAT WE NEED TO KNOW AND THE ONLY WAY WE CAN KNOW THAT IS BY FOLLOWING THEM UP AND TRYING TO SEE WHETHER THE, CAROTID ARTERY CONTINUES TO THICKEN. "WE DON'T KNOW EXACTLY WHICH ONE CAME FIRST, THAT WE NEED TO KNOW AND THE ONLY WAY WE CAN KNOW THAT IS BY FOLLOWING THEM UP AND TRYING TO SEE WHETHER THE CAROTID ARTERY CONTINUES TO THICKEN." UNTIL THEY KNOW MORE, GOOD ORAL HYGIENE CAN'T HURT.

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MARCH 13, 2005

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-EARLY

POLICE SAY THEY STILL DON'T KNOW WHY A MAN OPENED FIRE DURING A RELIGIOUS SERVICE ... IN MILWAUKEE YESTERDAY ... KILLING SEVEN PEOPLE AND HIMSELF. INVESTIGATORS HAVEN'T FOUND A SUICIDE NOTE ... OR OTHER CLUES ... TO EXPLAIN YESTERDAY'S RAMPAGE. POLICE SAY HE WALKED INTO A HOTEL MEETING ROOM ... AND OPENED FIRE. INVESTIGATORS ARE LOOKING INTO REPORTS THAT HE WAS ON THE VERGE OF LOSING HIS JOB. AND THAT HE WAS UPSET OVER A SERMON ... HE'D HEARD TWO WEEKS AGO.

MARCH 14, 2005

LENGTH-00:43 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THE WOMAN TAKEN HOSTAGE BY THE GEORGIA COURTHOUSE KILLER FRIDAY IS SPEAKING OUT. ASHLEY SMITH SAYS BRIAN NICHOLS BROKE INTO HER APARTMENT WHILE HE WAS ON THE RUN, TIED HER UP AND TOOK A SHOWER. SMITH SAYS SHE WAS SCARED FOR HER LIFE...I HEARD HIM OPENING DRAWERS, GOING THRU MY STUFF. AND HE CAME BACK IN AND SAID I WANT TO RELAX. AND I DON'T FEEL COMFORTABLE WITH YOU RIGHT NOW. SO I'M GOING TO HAVE TO TIE YOU UP. HE BROUGHT MASKING TAPE. AND EXTENTION CORD AND CURTAIN IN THERE. AND I KINDA THOUGHT HE WAS GOING TO STRANGLE ME I WAS REALLY SCARED. COPS ARE HOLDING NICHOLS ON A FIREARMS CHARGE WHILE PROSECUTORS DECIDE HOW TO CHARGE HIM WITH THE COURTHOUSE SHOOTINGS. THEY SAY HE KILLED AT LEAST THREE PEOPLE.

LENGTH-01:37 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

GEORGE AND PAT WATT MARRIED 37 YEARS AGO... RAISED CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN THEY'D BEEN THROUGH SO MUCH TOGETHER....BUT NOTHING PREPARED THEM FOR MENOPAUSE. NOT HERS. HIS. GEORGE I WAS IRRITABLE A LOT. I WAS DEPRESSED AND I PICKED ON HER A LOT. PAT MY DAUGHTER, I TOLD HER, 'YOUR DAD'S GOING THROUGH, IF I DIDN'T KNOW BETTER, I'D SWEAR HE WAS GOING THROUGH MENOPAUSE. PAT WORRIED: WHAT HAD HAPPENED TO THE GEORGE SHE'D MARRIED? GEORGE, WHO'S 60, WONDERED TOO. GEORGE WHY WHEN I GET HOME FROM WORK DO I SIT ON THE COUCH AND GO TO SLEEP? I DON'T LIKE DOING THAT. I WAS ALWAYS ACTIVE MY WHOLE LIFE. PAT HE WOULD SAY HE HAD NO SEX DRIVE, BUT THAT WAS MY FAULT. THAT WAS MY FAULT.

HAD HAD ENOUGH...SHE SAT GEORGE DOWN FOR A LITTLE CHAT. T1, PAT AND GEORGE TOGETHER WE TALKED ABOUT IT AND WE DETERMINED I NEEDED TO CHECK -- SOMETHING WAS WRONG -- WAS WRONG -- AND I NEEDED TO CHECK WITH SOMEBODY. THEIR FAMILY DOCTOR HIT THE NAIL ON THE HEAD. HE IMMEDIATELY SUSPECTED A LACK OF TESTOSTERONE -- A HORMONE THAT EFFECTS SEX DRIVE AND MOOD. SOT, PAT AND GEORGE TOGETHER HE FOUND IT WAS LOW AND WE STARTED THE SHOTS. HE GETS A SHOT EVERY OTHER WEEK...AND NOW THEIR SEX LIFE.... PAT AND GEORGE TOGETHER P: WELL THERE WASN'T ANY THEN, BUT IT'S THERE NOW. GEORGE I'M NOT AS GRUMPY. I'M NOT AS STRESSED OUT. NAT. "YOU GOT IT THAT TIME KENNETH" I ENJOY GOING WITH MY GRANDKIDS AND MY WIFE. SO SHOULD ALL MEN GEORGE'S AGE GET TESTOSTERONE? STARTING IN THEIR 40'S. TESTOSTERONE LEVELS START TO SLOWLY DECLINE. DIAMOND CHANGES IN TESTOSTERONE CAN AFFECT EVERYTHING ABOUT A MAN. IT CAN EFFECT HIS BONE DENSITY, HIS MUSCLE MASS, IT CAN AFFECT HIS EMOTIONAL SENSITIVITY. BUT EXPERTS RECOMMEND SHOTS ONLY IF TESTOSTERONE GOES ABNORMALLY LOW. SINCE THE SHOTS CAN HAVE COMPLICATIONS, SUCH AS PROSTATE PROBLEMS. SOME DOCTORS WORRY TESTOSTERONE THERAPY HAS GOTTEN TOO POPULAR...AND HASN'T BEEN STUDIED NEARLY ENOUGH. BUT IT'S CERTAINLY EASY TO SEE WHY MEN LIKE IT. SOT, GEORGE IT'S BEEN GREAT EVER SINCE I GOT THE SHOT. THINGS ARE BETTER WITH HIS WIFE, WITH HIS GRANDCHILDREN

LENGTH-00:32 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

WITH THE GROWING CONCERN SURROUNDING THE COX-2 INHIBITOR ARTHRITIS DRUGS LIKE CELEBREX AND VIOXX, MANY PATIENTS ARE TURNING TO OTHER ANTIINFLAMMATORIES. MANY PATIENTS ARE TURNING TO THIS ANTIINFLAMMATORY MEDICINE..."MOBIC"... IN FACT, IT'S THE TOP-SELLING ARTHRITIS PRESCRIPTION PAINKILLER. BUT SOME CRITICS SAY, IT MAY BE A COX-2 IN SHEEP'S CLOTHING. "IN EUROPE, MOBIC IS APPROVED AS A COX 2 INHIBITOR. IT NEVER PURSUED THAT LABELING IN THE UNITED STATES. IT'S VIEWED SOMEWHAT IN BETWEEN A COX-1 AND A COX-2." AND NOW THERE'S EVEN BEEN SOME EVIDENCE THAT THERE IS AT LEAST A SLIGHTLY INCREASED CARDIOVASCULAR RISK ASSOCIATED WITH NAPROXEN USE...THE ACTIVE INGREDIENT IN ALEVE. OTHER STUDIES HAVE NOT SHOWN THIS. MANY DOCTORS BELIEVE USING ALL ANTIINFLAMMATORIES IN LOW DOSES IF POSSIBLE, EVEN THE COX-2'S, CAN BE SAFE, BUT THEY SHOULD BE USED UNDER A DOCTOR'S GUIDANCE.

LENGTH-01:14 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

FIRST IT WAS BODY ARMOR. THEN ARMORED HUMVEES. NOW IT TURNS OUT U-S FORCES IN IRAQ AND AFGHANISTAN DON'T HAVE ENOUGH TOURNIQUETS, A SIMPLE, 20-DOLLAR DEVICE THAT CAN PREVENT SOMEONE FROM BLEEDING TO DEATH. (SPANISH AMERICAN WAR PHOTO) TOURNIQUETS HAVE BEEN USED IN WARS FOR CENTURIES, BUT UNLIKE THE MARINES, <THE ARMY> DID NOT FEEL IT NECESSARY TO ISSUE THEM TO <ALL> SOLDIERS BOUND FOR THE MIDDLE EAST. NOW IT'S STUDYING WHETHER THAT DECISION MAY HAVE COST LIVES. (IED NATS POP) IN IRAQ, BODY ARMOR HAS DONE AN EXCELLENT JOB PROTECTING THE TORSO FROM CAR BOMBS AND OTHER EXPLOSIVE DEVICES, BUT U-S TROOPS ARE SUFFERING MORE AND MORE WOUNDS TO THEIR LIMBS...WOUNDS THAT REQUIRE TOURNIQUETS. "YOU CAN LOSE UP TO ONE LITER OF BLOOD PER MINUTE IN A MAJOR VESSEL IF IT WAS CUT" CHRIS

LANG IS A FORMER NAVY SURGEON. "THE TOURNIQUET IS PROBABLY ONE OF THE MOST VALUABLE THINGS THAT WE CAN HAVE IN THE BATTLEFIELD." IN JANUARY U-S CENTRAL COMMAND ISSUED A DIRECTIVE...REQUIRING ALL FORCES...INCLUDING THE NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVES...TO CARRY TOURNIQUETS. BUT TWO MONTHS LATER MOST SOLDIERS STILL DON'T HAVE THEM. IN A LETTER TO DEFENSE SECRETARY DONALD RUMSFELD, THE RANKING DEMOCRAT ON THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE CALLED THE DELAY "NOTHING SHORT OF APPALLING." LAST WEEK THE ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF COULD NOT EXPLAIN TO THE COMMITTEE WHAT'S TAKING SO LONG. "I SEE NO REASON WHY THERE IS ANY SHORTAGE, AND CERTAINLY AFFORDABILITY IS NOT AT ISSUE." TONIGHT THE ARMY TELLS ABC NEWS IT WILL "RUSH" NEW TOURNIQUETS TO THE BATTLEFIELD WHICH CAN BE APPLIED WITH ONE HAND. THEY HOPE EVERY SOLDIER IN IRAQ AND AFGHANISTAN WILL HAVE ONE IN A "MATTER OF WEEKS."

MARCH 15, 2005

LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-CEIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A LONGBOAT KEY PSYCHOLOGIST IS HEADED TO JAIL. HOLLI BODNER WAS SENTENCED TO 10 WEEKENDS IN JAIL FOR LYING ON FORMS THAT SENT A 41 YEAR OLD MAN TO A MENTAL HEALTH CENTER. JEAN VILLAR DIED AT THE CENTER TWO YEARS AGO FROM A BLOOD CLOT. INVESTIGATORS SAY BODNER HAD A YEAR LONG FIGHT WITH VILLAR OVER STREET LIGHTS AND DOG POOP BEFORE INVOLUNTARILY COMMITTING HIM. PROSECUTORS AND VILLAR'S FAMILY CLAIM BODNER'S ACTIONS CONTRIBUTED TO HIS DEATH. SHE PLEADED NO CONTEST TO THE PERJURY CHARGES.

LENGTH-00:15 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THAT'S THE LESSON FROM A WOULD-BE ROBBER IN ARIZONA...COPS SAY HE TRIED SLIDING DOWN THE CHIMNEY TO ROB A HOUSE --BUT HE GOT STUCK. A PASSERBY HEARD HIS CRIES FOR HELP --POLICE WERE HAPPY TO OBLIGE. NOT ONLY DID THEY PULL HIM OUT --THEY EVEN GAVE HIM A RIDE TO JAIL.

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

SARASOTA POLICE SAY THEY'VE SOLVED A CASE OF IDENTITY THEFT THAT STARTED HERE ON THE SUNCOAST AND STRETCHED TO OHIO. INVESTIGATORS SAY 34-YEAR-OLD FLORENTINO CAPIZ OF SARASOTA USED ILLEGAL DOCUMENTS TO ENTER THE COUNTRY AND THEN GOT A JOB AND A BANK ACCOUNT USING AN OHIO WOMAN'S IDENTITY. THEY SAY CAPIZ ALSO OPENED A CREDIT CARD AND A-T-M ACCOUNT USING A WOMAN'S INFORMATION FROM ST. MARY'S OHIO. HE FACES MULTIPLE CHARGES INCLUDING IDENTITY THEFT AND POSSESSION OF FALSE IDENTIFICATION.

A NEW STUDY IN THE NEW ENGLAND JOURNAL OF MEDICINE SHOWS TAKING THE PLATELET-BLOCKER "PLAVIX" CAN HELP KEEP ARTERIES OPEN... REDUCING THE RISK OF A SECOND HEART ATTACK. "WE ALWAYS USE TO WORRY ABOUT GIVING PLAVIX//TO THOSE WHO HAVE RECEIVED THE BLOOD CLOT BUSTING DRUGS THAT ARE YOU GOING TO INCREASE THE CHANCES OF BLEEDING//BUT THE STUDY SHOW THAT BY GIVING PLAVIX YOU DID NOT INCREASE THE CHANCE OF BLEEDING ANYWHERE OR BLEEDING IN THE BRAIN THEREFORE IT WAS A PERFECTLY SAFE STRATEGY." THE STUDY SHOWS BY SIMPLY ADDING "PLAVIX" TO YOUR PILL REGIMEN --THE RISK OF HAVING A BLOCKED HEART ARTERY, DYING OR HAVING A SECOND HEART ATTACK GOES DOWN 36-PERCENT.

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

A FORMER ST. AUGUSTINE TEACHER PLEADED *NO CONTEST* TO ACCUSATION SHE HAD SEX WITH AN UNDERAGE, MALE STUDENT. UNDER A PLEA AGREEMENT 28-YEAR-OLD KELLY DALECKI WILL SPEND SIX MONTHS IN JAIL AND SERVE SEVEN YEARS OF SEX OFFENDER PROBATION. THE BOY TOLD INVESTIGATORS THAT HE HAD SEX WITH THE WOMAN BEFORE AND AFTER HIS 14TH BIRTHDAY.

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-ELDERLY 7 SHOW TIME-5:30

ALAN GREENSPAN IS WEIGHING IN ON THE SOCIAL SECURITY DEBATE. THE FED CHAIRMAN WARNS IF SOCIAL SECURITY ISN'T RE-INFORCED, THE ECONOMY COULD IN HIS WORDS, "STAGNATE OR WORSE." GREENSPAN TESTIFIED ON CAPITOL HILL TODAY. HE AGAIN BACKED PRESIDENT BUSH'S GOAL OF CREATING PRIVATE INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS.

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

A MURDER IN BRADENTON THIS AFTERNOON. 20-YEAR OLD JAMIE McCLUER WAS SHOT AND KILLED IN THE PARKING LOT OF THE MARATHON GAS STATION ON MANATEE AVENUE EAST.. POLICE SAY MCCLUER HAD MET HER BOYFRIEND THERE FOR LUNCH.. WHEN A CAR PULLED UP.. WORDS WERE EXCHANGED.. AND THE WOMAN WAS SHOT.. POLICE LATER FOUND THE CAR.. BUT ARE STILL LOOKING FOR THE SHOOTER..

LENGTH-00:54 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-11:00

MONDAY NIGHT CHARLOTTE COUNTY DEPUTIES PULLED OVER 42 YEAR-OLD JEFFERY THOMPSON. WHEN THEY GOT TO THE WINDOW OF HIS CAR... THEY SAY THE SMELL OF MARIJUANA WAS IN THE AIR. "SEARCHING THE VEHICLE IN THE DOOR PANEL, THEY FOUND MARIJUANA. ALSO THEY WENT TO THE CONSOLE AND FOUND ILLEGAL PILLS." BUT THAT'S NOT THE ONLY THING THEY FOUND. "WE WENT TO THE TRUNK.

AND WHEN THEY OPENED IT UP THEY WERE KINDA SURPRISED, BECAUSE THEY FOUND A PLASTIC PENIS. WITH A PUMP ON IT AND A THING THEY CAN STRAP TO THEM." THOMPSON IS ON PROBATION AND DEPUTIES SAY HE TOLD THEM HE USED THE PLASTIC DEVICE FOR RANDOM URINE TESTS. ALLOWING HIM TO *PASS* THOSE TESTS.

MARCH 16, 2005

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

MARCH, IN CASE YOU WERE WONDERING, IS NATIONAL CAFFEINE AWARENESS MONTH. A PERFECT BALANCE TO OUR CELEBRATION OF CAFFEINE THIS MORNING... MAYOR FRANK COSTELLO OF ORMOND BEACH ACTUALLY PROCLAIMED THE MONTH. IT'S ACTUALLY AIMED AT MAKING PEOPLE AWARE THAT TOO MUCH CAFFEINE CAN BE HARMFUL TO YOUR HEALTH. THE CAFFEINE AWARENESS ALLIANCE SAYS IT CAN CAUSE HEART DISEASE AND IT'S LONG BEEN KNOWN AS ADDICTIVE...BUT, WE CAN'T IGNORE THE LITLE PICK ME UP...

LENGTH-01:28 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

THE JURY RECOMMENDS DEATH BY LETHAL INJECTION. BUT IT IS ULTIMATELY UP TO JUDGE ALFRED DELUCCI TO DECIDE SCOTT PETERSON'S FATE. DELUCCHI CAN AFFIRM THE JURY'S VOTE OR HE MAY SENTENCE PETERSON TO LIFE IN PRISON WITHOUT PAROLE. PETERSON'S ATTORNEYS CLAIM THEY HAVE NEW EVIDENCE TO OVERTURN HIS CONVICTION FOR KILLING HIS WIFE, LACI AND UNBORN SON, MONDAY, DEFENSE ATTORNEY MARK GERRAGOS FILED FOR A NEW TRIAL, CLAIMING PROSECUTORS WITHHELD KEY EVIDENCE FROM A JAIL INMATE WHO SAYS HE WAS TOLD LACI INTERUPTED A BURGLARY AT A NEIGHBOR'S HOME. PROSECUTORS SAY THE TIP HAD BEEN GIVEN TO THE DEFENSE A YEAR BEFORE TRIAL. "IT'S NOT EVIDENCE BECAUSE AS THE PROSECUTIONS' PAPERS POINT OUT VERY CLEARLY, ALL OF THESE ALLEGED CONVERSATIONS WITH AN INMATE REGARDING LACI PETERSON ARE HEARSAY AND ARE NOT ADMISSIBLE." LACI WAS 8 MONTHS PREGNANT WITH THE COUPLE'S FIRST CHILD, WHEN SHE DISAPPEARED FROM THEIR MODESTO HOME ON CHRISTMAS EVE 2002. AS THE COMMUNITY SEARCHED FOR THE MISSING SCHOOLTEACHER, INVESTIGATORS LEARNED PETERSON WAS LEADING A DOUBLE LIFE WITH HIS MISTRESS, AMBER FREY. NEARLY 4 MONTHS AFTER VANISHING, THE BODIES OF MOTHER AND SON WASHED ASHORE IN SAN FRANCISCO BAY. IT WAS THE SAME AREA PETERSON SAID HE HAD GONE FISHING THE DAY LACI DISAPPEARED. THE GUILTY VERDICT CAME AFTER MONTHS OF TESTIMONY, BUT BECAUSE PETERSON NEVER TOOK THE STAND IN HIS OWN DEFENSE, ONE BURNING QUESTION REMAINS.. JUST WANT TO SIT HIM DOWN AND, WHY. AND I SAY THAT OVER AND OVER AGAIN, BECAUSE THAT'S THE ONLY THING I THINK WHEN I SEE HIM. WHY DID YOU DO THIS?" BOTH FAMILIES ARE EXPECTED TO ADDRESS THE COURT -- SETTING THE STAGE FOR AN EMOTIONAL HEARING. ON THURSDAY, MODESTO POLICE WILL BREAK THEIR SILENCE DURING A NEWS CONFERENCE TO TALK ABOUT THE HIGH PROFILE CASE FOR THE FIRST TIME.

ITS THE DEATH PENALTY FOR 42-YEAR OLD ROY MC-DUFFIE. HE IS THE CONVICTED MURDERER OF TWO DELTONA DOLLAR GENERAL CASHIERS. THE MURDERS OCCURED NEARLY THREE YEARS AGO WHEN MC-DUFFIE WAS A MANAGEMENT TRAINEE AT THE STORE. HE KILLED THE TWO IN AN APPARENT BOTCHED EFFORT TO STEAL MONEY AND PAY OVERDUE BILLS.

LENGTH-01:04 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

JOSEPHINE GIRON TOOK VITAMIN E TO REDUCE HER RISK OF HEART DISEASE AFTER SHE WAS DIAGNOSED WITH HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE. BUT HER DOCTOR TOOK HER OFF THE PILL WHEN STUDIES SHOWED IT WASN'T EFFECTIVE. AND NOW THERE'S A NEW STUDY SUGGESTING IT MIGHT EVEN BE HARMFUL.....TO THINK THAT WE'VE TAKEN THIS AS A SAFETY THING AND NOW THEY'RE SAYING THAT IT MAY CAUSE MORE HARM, THAT IT MAY MAKE CONDITIONS MORE SERIOUS THAN IT MIGHT HAVE EVEN BEEN WITHOUT THE VITAMIN E THAT'S SCARY. RESEARCHERS FOLLOWED THOUSANDS OF PATIENTS FOR UP TO NINE YEARS. ALL WERE AT LEAST 55 YEARS OLD WITH HEART DISEASE OR DIABETES. THE STUDY FOUND VITAMIN E DIDN'T PROTECT AGAINST HEART DISEASE OR CANCER AND IN SOME PATIENTS ACTUALLY INCREASED THE RISK OF HEART FAILURE. THIS WAS A STUDY IN OLDER PEOPLE WHO ALREADY HAD HEART DISEASE AT THE BEGINNING OF THE TRIAL, WHO WERE TAKING NUMEROUS MEDICATIONS, AND IS NOT REPRESENTATIVE OF THE POPULATION AS A WHOLE. SOME HEART DOCTORS SAY VITAMIN E'S BENEFITS ARE LOST WHEN ITS ADMINISTERED IN PILL FORM. THAT DOES NOT MEAN THAT ANTIOXIDANTS AND VITAMIN E IN THEIR NATURAL FORM IN FRUITS AND VEGETABLES DON'T HAVE A BENEFIT FOR BOTH CANCER AND HEART DISEASE PREVENTION. DAVIDSON ENCOURAGES HER PATIENTS TO EAT MORE OF THE NATURAL VITAMIN... FOUND IN VEGETABLE OILS, NUTS, GREEN LEAFY VEGETABLES, AND FORTIFIED CEREALS

LENGTH-00:21 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

THE CRASH HAPPENED FEBRUARY 11TH RIGHT DOWN THE ROAD FROM BRITTINI'S HOUSE. WITNESSES SAY THEY SAW A WHITE SUV HIT THE GIRL, STOP....WAIT... THEN TAKE OFF. TODAY THE FHP SAYS THE MAN DRIVING THE VEHICLE WAS LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE RODNEY SCHRADER. SHRADER IS CURRENTLY ON HIS WAY TO THE CHARLOTTE COUNTY JAIL. ACCORDING TO FHP, STATE INVESTIGATORS TESTED SCHRADER'S SUV FOR FIBERS AND THE LITTLE GIRL'S D-N-A. TODAY THEY RECEIVED WORD OF A POSITIVE MATCH.

LENGTH-01:56 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-5:00

A COMMON SCENE IN FRANKLIN COUNTY A TEAM OF SHERIFFS DEPUTIES AND DRUG ENFORCEMENT AGENTS APPROACH A HOME, WITH INFORMATION THERE IS METH INSIDE... HOW MUCH MONEY YOU THINK THEY CAN MAKE WITH THIS LAB IT'S NOT ABOUT MONEY, MOM AND POP LABS ARE ABOUT ADDICTION, THAT'S ALL IT'S ABOUT, IT'S ABOUT MAKING ENOUGH DOPE TO GET HIGH, ENOUGH TO SELL TO GET ENOUGH

MONEY TO BUY THE NEXT BATCH OF INGREDIENTS YOU NEED, ITS ADDICTION DRIVEN. A QUICK SWEEP REVEALS THE CRUDE WORKINGS OF A METH LAB TOXIC CHEMICALS, CONTAINERS AND COLD TABLETS ONE OF HUNDREDS DISCOVERED EACH YEAR IN THIS COUNTY. THIS IS A FULL TIME JOB FOR THEM, EACH YEAR THESE LABS NEVER STOP AND BASICALLY, ACROSS THE WHOLE MIDWEST THEY ARE FACING THE SAME PROBLEM. METH CAME ON STRONG IN THE LAST FEW YEARS: NOT ONLY STEALING THE SOULS OF USERS BUT TEARING APART ENTIRE TOWNS.STRESSING POLICE DEPARTMENTS.DESTROYING FAMILIES FIVE SMALL CHILDREN ARE HERE ALL PLAYING NEAR THE POISON WHAT'S GOING TO HAPPEN TO THESE FIVE KIDS? THESE FIVE KIDS ARE GOING TO DIVISION OF FAMILY SERVICES CARE RIGHT NOW. THEY ARE THE REAL VICTIMS, YOU HAVE FIVE KIDS RIGHT NOW AND NOBODY KNOWS WHAT'S GOING TO HAPPEN TO THEM. THEY'VE GOT TEARS IN THEIR EYES, MOM AND DAD ARE GOING TO BE GOING TO JAIL, THEY DON'T KNOW WHAT'S HAPPENING TO THEM, THEY ARE SCARED THERE ARE GUYS WALKING AROUND WITH GUNS OUT THIS IS AN AMERICAN TRAGEDY, WE HAVE MORE THAN 15K KIDS ABUSED ABANDONED AND NEGLECTED AS A RESULT OF LABS LOCALLY, HERE IN FRANKLIN COUNTY, SOCIAL SERVICES ARE OVERWHELMED FOSTER PARENTS ARE IN GREAT DEMAND. WE REMOVED 59 CHILDREN FROM FAMILIES LAST YEAR, 50 OF THOSE WERE DIRECTLY RELATED TO METH, AND THE BIG CONCERN WE HAVE IS WITH THE SAFETY ISSUE, IF YOU ARE MANUFACTURING METH, IT'S VERY DANGEROUS. BLOWN OUT TANK WHAT WERE MIKE MURPHY AND HIS FRIENDS DOING JASON: THEY WERE MAKING METH, AND THEY WERE ALSO MAKING A BOMB, AND LITTLE DID THEY KNOW THAT THE BOMB WAS WHAT WAS GOING TO GET THEM MIKE MURPHY MIKE MURPHY WAS LUCKY HE SURVIVED HIS OWN METH MAKING DISASTER BUT HIS SIGHT IS GONE THE THING THAT JUST EATS ME UP THE MOST, WAS THAT IF IT WASN'T FOR MY EYESITE BEING LOST. IF I DIDN'T LOOSE MY EYESITE, I WOULD PROBABLY STILL BE OUT THERE DOING IT, AND THAT'S JUST HOW STRONG THE DRUG, THE METH REALLY IS. ONE COMMUNITY, SO MANY PROBLEMS BUT FRANKLIN COUNTY IS INSTRUCTIVE NOT AS THE EXCEPTION BUT AS PROOF OF WHAT COULD HAPPEN ANYWHERE JASON, IT'S NOT JUST HERE. IT'S THROUGHOUT IOWA, ITS THROUGHOUT ILLINOIS, ITS THOUGHOUT THE ENTIRE MIDWEST, IT'S UP AND DOWN THE EAST COAST, AND IT'S COMING TO A TOWN NEAR YOU SOON.

LENGTH-00:44 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

20-YEAR OLD JAIMIE MCCLUER'S STEP-FATHER TELLS US SHE WAS IN WITH THE WRONG CROWD. SHE GOT ARRESTED IN 2003 FOR AGGREVATED ASSAULT WITH A GUN AND SELLING COCAINE. HE DIDN'T WANT TO TALK TO US ON CAMERA ABOUT WHAT HAPPENED TUESDAY AFTERNOON AT THIS GAS STATION. HE AND JAIMIE'S MOM ARE JUST TRYING TO DEAL WITH HER DEATH. SHE WAS A NICE GIRL. I KNOW SHE HAD SOME ISSUES, BUT THIS IS NOT THE WAY SHE DESERVED TO LEAVE THIS EARTH. MAJOR BILL TOKAJER KNEW MCCLUER A FEW YEARS AGO. HE WORKED WITH HER IN THE YOUTH GROUP HERE AT CHURCH ON THE ROCK IN PALMETTO. NOW HE'S PART OF THE TEAM SEARCHING FOR HER KILLER. 23-YEAR OLD TERRANCE GEORGE IS CHARGED WITH MURDER. HE'S BEEN BUSTED IN THE PAST FOR DRUGS AND STEALING A CAR. BRADENTON POLICE SAY HS CAR TIES HIM TO THIS SHOOTING. I DON'T THINK IT WAS A RANDOM-RANDOM ACT, LIKE SOMEONE WALKING UP TO SPMEONE AND JUST SHOOTING THEM. WE DON'T WANT TO GO INTO WHAT WE THINK HAPPENED UNTIL WE CAN CORROBORATE EVERYTHING.

STATE TROOPERS SAY THEY HAVE THEIR MAN.. THE DRIVER WHO RAN DOWN AND KILLED AN 8-YEAR-OLD GIRL.. AS SHE PLAYED ALONG A STREET IN HER PORT CHARLOTTE NEIGHBORHOOD LAST MONTH. THE FLORIDA HIGHWAY PATROL SAYS RODNEY SCHRADER WAS DRIVING THE S-U-V THAT SLAMMED INTO LITTLE BRITTANI LAFOLLETTE (LUH-*FALL*-ET). TROOPERS TOOK SCHRADER'S TRUCK JUST AFTER THE WRECK.. AND SAY D-N-A TESTS CAME BACK THIS WEEK - THAT PROVE SCHRADER'S S-U-V WAS INVOLVED. THE MAN LIVES JUST A FEW BLOCKS FROM THE HOME WHERE BRITTANI'S FAMILY IS STILL GREIVING FROM THE LOSS. HIS ARREST YESTERDAY - IS WELCOME NEWS FOR THEM. "TODAY - FELT BETTER. I SMILED - I DID, I SMILED TODAY. IT MADE ME HAPPY. I DON'T GET MY DAUGHTER BACK, I DON'T GET HER LAUGH OR HER HUGS OR ANYTHING. BUT - I HOPE THERE WILL BE JUSTICE FOR THE MAN THAT KILLED HER." SCHRADER'S SET TO GO BEFORE A JUDGE TODAY.. HE SPENT THE NIGHT IN THE CHARLOTTE COUNTY JAIL ON FELONY CHARGES: LEAVING THE SCENE OF AN ACCIDENT INVOLVING A DEATH.

LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THE STATE HIGHWAY PATROL HAS ARRESTED A WOMAN IN CONNECTION WITH LAST MONTH'S ACCIDENT THAT KILLED A MAN IN NOKOMIS. THE ACCIDENT HAPPENED LAST MONTH ON U-S 41 AT THE INTERSECTION OF BAYVIEW PARKWAY. TROOPERS SAY DIXIE MURPHY WAS LEGALLY DRUNK WHEN SHE HIT HOWARD KNAPP AND TERESA WHITE AS THEY WERE WALKING ALONG THE SHOULDER OF THE ROAD. TROOPERS ARRESTED MURPHY LAST NIGHT AFTER BLOOD TEST RESULTS CONFIRMED SHE WAS DRUNK AT THE TIME OF THE ACCIDENT.

LENGTH-00:15 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A COMPUTER HACKER HAS BROKEN INTO THE COMPUTERS AT A CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, AND NOW THOUSANDS OF STUDENTS ARE SCRAMBLING TO PROTECT THEIR IDENTITIES...THE SYSTEM CONTAINED THE PERSONAL INFORMATION OF NEARLY 60-THOUSAND PEOPLE. NOW UNIVERSITY OFFICIALS ARE SCRAMBLING TO NOTIFY STUDENTS AND ALUMNI THAT THEIR IDENTITIES COULD BE STOLEN. "I'M SURE A LOT OF PEOPLE ON CAMPUS ARE GOING TO BE CHECKING OUT THEIR CREDIT ACCOUNTS AND WHAT NOT, MAKING SURE THERE HASN'T BEEN A BREACH."TO MAKE MATTER SEVEN WORSE, MANY STUDENTS HAVE LEFT TOWN FOR SPRING BREAK, AND WHEN THEY COME BACK, THEY'LL HAVE A WARNING LETTER WAITING FOR THEM...BUT OFFICIALS ADMIT IT MAY BE TOO LATE BY THEN.

LENGTH-00:17 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

A LOUISIANA MAN IS BEHIND BARS, FOR WORKING AS AN UNLICENSED CONTRACTOR IN CHARLOTTE COUNTY. DEPUTIES SAY FRANK RUSSO CAME TO THE AREA AFTER

HURRICANE CHARLEY HIT LAST AUGUST. HE WAS SUPPOSED TO BE WORKING AS INSURANCE ADJUSTER... BUT WAS ILLEGALLY REPAIRING ROOFS. RUSSO'S SCHEDULED TO BE SENTENCED ON APRIL 20. HE FACES UP TO FIVE YEARS BEHIND BARS...

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

THE ROBBER WAS ARMED-BUT INSTEAD OF A GUN, IT WAS... FRUIT. THAT, AS WE LOOK AT NEWS "AROUND OUR WORLD" TODAY. ROBERT DOWNEY, *NOT* THE ACTOR, HAS BEEN SENTENCED TO 7 YEARS IN JAIL FOR TRYING TO PULL A STICK-UP WITH A BANANA. THE BANANA WAS WRAPPED IN A PLASTIC GROCERY BAG AS DOWNEY TRIED TO ROB A BOOKIE. THE BOOKIE NOTICED A STRANGE "BEND" IN THE WEAPON AND CALLED POLICE.

LENGTH-01:01 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

FRANCES WHITE HAS BATTLED HER WEIGHT ALL HER LIFE.... SHE SAYS SHE DOESN'T HAVE THE HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE OR CHOLESTEROL PROBLEMS THAT LEAD TO HEART DISEASE AND THINKS IT POSSIBLE TO BE OVERWEIGHT AND HEALTHY. I BELIEVE YOU CAN BE HEALTHY NO MATTER WHAT YOUR SIZE IF YOU GET EXERCISE INTO YOUR LIFE AND SOME MOVEMENT. SHE'S ON THE BOARD OF A GROUP CALLED "THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION TO ADVANCE FAT ACCEPTANCE." BUT LAST YEAR, SHE SAYS SHE WAS DIAGNOSED WITH DIABETES. THAT'S ONE DISEASE, DOCTORS SAY, THAT'S ASSOCIATED WITH BEING OVERWEIGHT...AND ACCORDING TO A STUDY IN THE NEW ENGLAND JOURNAL OF MEDICINE IF THE OBESITY TREND DOESN'T SLOW, IT WILL REVERSE A TREND TOWARDS LONGER LIVES. IN 1900 LIFE EXPECTANCY WAS 47 IN THE UNITED STATES. IT'S ABOUT 77 TODAY, BUT WE COULD LOSE UP TO 3/4 OF A YEAR OF LIFE EXPECTANCY IF WE DO NOT CONQUER OBESITY. THE GOVERNMENT SAYS 15-PERCENT OF CHILDREN IN THE U.S. ARE OVERWEIGHT. FOR THEM, THE NEWS IS WORSE. IT'S FUELING AN EPIDEMIC OF ADULT ONSET DIABETES IN CHILDREN THAT COULD SHORTEN THEIR LIVES BY AS MUCH AS 5 YEARS. OBESITY IS DEADLY BECAUSE IT LEADS TO MANY DISEASES INCLUDING HEART DISEASE, STROKE AND CANCER.. AND THE STUDY'S AUTHORS SAY THE AVERAGE OVERWEIGHT PERSON COULD HAVE MORE MONTHS CUT OFF THEIR LIFE EXPECTANCY THAN TIME LOST FROM ALL ACCIDENTAL DEATHS COMBINED...

LENGTH-01:02 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

THE 9 YEAR OLD HOMOSASSA GIRL WENT TO SLEEP THAT WEDNESDAY NIGHT, WITH HER GRANDPARENTS JUST DOWN THE HALL.. WHEN HER FATHER CAME HOME EARLY THE NEXT MORNING, HE DISCOVERED JESSICA WASN'T THERE. SINCE THEN INVESTIGATORS AND VOLUNTEERS HAVE SEARCHED AROUND THE HOME, AND INTO THE SURROUNDING WOODS... FINDING NOTHING. YESTERDAY CITRUS COUNTY SHERIFF JEFF DAWSY ANNOUNCED THEY WERE LOOKING FOR 46 YEAR OLD JOHN EVANDER COUEY, A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER CONVICTED OF LEWD AND LASCIVIOUS ACTS ON A CHILD....COUEY LIVED TWO MILES NORTH OF JESSICA'S FAMILY... BUT OCCASSIONALLY VISITED HIS FAMILY WHO LIVED JUST A FEW FEET AWAY FROM THE HOME. INVESTIGATORS SAY HE BOUGHT A BUS TICKET TO

SAVANNAH, GEORGIA UNDER A DIFFERENT NAME ABOUT THE SAME TIME JESSICA DISAPPEARED. RICHMOND COUNTY DEPUTIES TOOK COUEY INTO CUSTODY THIS MORNING, IN AUGUSTA... HE'S IN JAIL THERE NOW, BEING QUESTIONED. "WE THEN LOOK AT HIS HISTORY HE LEAVES THE AREA HE MAKES A COMMENT THAT POLICE ARE GOING TO BE LOOKING FOR ME OR ARE LOOKING FOR ME THOSE ALL START TO DO SOME BUILDING BLOCKS FOR US."

LENGTH-00:45 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:30

THREE AREA DOCTORS WELL KNOWN FOR THEIR WORK IN BREAST CANCER TREATMENT AND RESEARCH GET HIGH ACCOLADES TODAY. THE SUSAN G KOMEN BREAST CANCER FOUNDATION HONORED TWO RADIOLOGISTS AND A LOCAL ONCOLOGIST AT ITS ANNUAL LUNCHEON. ALL THREE TALKED ABOUT THE ADVANCEMENTS MADE IN THEIR FIELD SPECIFICALLY THE EQUIPMENT USED TO DETECT BREAST CANCER, LIKE THE LATEST M-R-I SCANS. "WHAT IT'S DONE IS HELPED THE SURGEON BE READY. IT MAKES SURGERY MORE LIEKLY TO BE CURATIVE." DR. BARBARA BOURLAND STARTED THE SUSAN CHEEK NEEDLER BREAST CENTER IN PINELLAS COUNTY THREE YEARS AGO. IT CREATES A SPA-LIKE ATMOSPHERE FOR WOMEN COMING IN FOR TESTS.

LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

NEIGHBORS ACTING...NOT SO NEIGHBOR-LIKE IN VENICE...NOW ONE MAN IS IN JAIL. ACCORDING TO SARASOTA COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORTS.. 19-YEAR-OLD JOSEPH REED JUNIOR GOT INTO A FIGHT WITH HIS NEIGHBOR. THE NEIGHBOR WAS ON HIS WAY TO THE COURTHOUSE TO GET A RESTRAINING ORDER AGAINST REED..WHEN'S HE'S ACCUSED OF RUNNING UP TO THE MAN'S CAR AND FIRING A SHOTGUN INTO THE GROUND. THE NEIGHBOR WASN'T HURT.. REED FACES SEVERAL CHARGES.

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S INVESTIGATORS SAY THEY'VE CAPTURED A PAIR OF SUSPECTED CAR BURGLARS WHO MAY BE LINKED TO A NUMBER OF CRIMES. 20-YEAR OLD MATTHEW LEDDON AND 20-YEAR OLD CHARLES JONES THE FOURTH WERE ARRESTED AFTER DEPUTIES SAY THE PAIR TRIED TO STEAL A CAR AT THE HARBOR POINT APARTMENTS. DEPUTIES SAY THEY ALSO BROKE INTO OTHER CARS THERE. THEY'RE BOTH AT THE MANATEE COUNTY JAIL WITHOUT BOND. THE TWO MEN ARE BEING LOOKED AT IN SOME OTHER UNSOLVED BURGLARIES.

LENGTH-00:17 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A 19-YEAR OLD WOMAN AND THREE KIDS, INCLUDING A THREE-WEEK OLD BABY, WERE FOUND DEAD IN A PANHANDLE APARTMENT TODAY. IT HAPPENED IN MARIANNA... THAT'S ABOUT 60 MILES WEST OF TALLAHASSEE. AUTHORITIES SAY THE APARTMENT MANAGER WAS DOING A CHECK OF THE COMPLEX AND FOUND THE WOMAN'S BODY.

POLICE SAY A FOURTH CHILD WAS THERE, BUT WASN'T HURT.

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-11:00

A NEW BRAIN CANCER DRUG GETS THE GOVERNMENT'S APPROVAL. THE FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION SAYS TEMODAR EXTENDED THE LIFE OF PATIENTS, WHO TOOK THE DRUG *AND* RADIATION THERAPY, BY TWO AND A HALF MONTHS. TEMODAR IS ALREADY APPROVED FOR TREATING ADULT PATIENTS WITH ANOTHER FORM OF BRAIN CANCER THAT CAN RELAPSE AFTER CHEMOTHERAPY.

MARCH 18, 2005

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

DONATING BLOOD ... IS ALWAYS A GOOD CAUSE ... BUT TODAY IT'LL HELP EVEN MORE. THE MANATEE BRANCH OF FLORIDA BLOOD SERVICES ... IS TEAMING UP WITH THE FOUNDATION FOR DREAMS. FOR EVERY DONATION TODAY... AN ANONYMOUS DONOR WILL GIVE ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS ... TO THE FOUNDATION FOR DREAMS ... WHICH HELPS BETTER THE LIVES OF CHILDREN WITH ILLNESSES AND DISABILITIES. ONE BLOODMOBILE WILL BE SET UP IN FRONT OF THE MANATEE COUNTY COURTHOUSE. ANOTHER STATION WILL BE SET UP AT THE BRADENTON COUNTRY CLUB ... ON 9TH AVENUE WEST.

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A MAN HAS BEEN ARRESTED IN MONTANA ... FOR ALLEGEDLY PLOTTING TO KIDNAP DAVID LETTERMAN'S SON AND NANNY. 43 YEAR-OLD KELLY FRANK IS BEING HELD ON A FELONY CHARGE OF SOLICITATION ... AFTER INVESTIGATORS SAY HE PLOTTED TO KIDNAP THE TWO ... AND HOLD THEM FOR A 5 MILLION DOLLAR RANSOM. AUTHORITIES WERE TIPPED OFF ON THE PLAN. LETTERMAN RELEASED A STATEMENT YESTERDAY ... EXPRESSING HOW GREATFUL HE IS ... THAT THE PLAN WAS FOILED.

LENGTH-00:52 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

FOR MARY BERMINGHAM DOING SOMETHING LIKE THIS ONCE A DAY. MAKES THIS PART OF THE DAY GO MORE SMOOTHLY. PARENTING MAGAZINE SAYS THERE ARE SOME TIME MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES THAT EASE DAILY DISTRACTIONS. TRY PUTTING YOURSELF FIRST AT LEAST ONCE A DAY. (MOM/SOT) I FIND MAKING TIME FOR MYSELF MAKES MY WHOLE DAY GO MORE SMOOTHLY BECAUSE I HAVE MADE MYSELF A PRIORITY AND HAVE THE ENERGY TO KEEP GOING. ANOTHER TIME MANAGEMENT STRATEGY IS TO THINK ABOUT HOUSEWORK DIFFERENTLY. IF YOU LOOK AT EVERYTHING YOU HAVE TO DO IN YOUR HOUSE AS ONE BIG LIST IT CAN BE OVERWHELMING. TRY DESIGNATING ONE DAY OF THE WEEK FOR DIFFERENT CHORES THEN LEAVE TWO DAYS OPEN FOR THINGS THAT MIGHT NOT GET DONE. FOR INSTANCE IF THURSDAY IS YOUR DAY TO DUST, HOLD FIRM TO THAT DAY EVEN IF YOU NOTICE A DUSTY TABLE EARLIER IN THE WEEK. HERE'S WHAT'S ON THE MENU FOR

TONIGHT. BE FLEXIBLE BUT HAVE A BOTTOM LINE. THE BERMINGHAMS MAKE A WEEKLY DINNER MENU AND STICK TO IT. THAT STOPPED THE ENDLESS DISCUSSION BROUGHT ON BY TOO MANY CHOICES. TRY MAKING AN "I DID IT" LIST. YOU MAY FIND WHEN YOU REFLECT ON ALL YOU REALLY ACCOMPLISH IN A DAY YOU'RE MORE EFFECTIVE THAN YOU GIVE YOURSELF CREDIT FOR.

LENGTH-00:16 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

THREE TEENS ARE CHARGED WITH KIDNAPPING A 15-YEAR-OLD CAPE CORAL BOY ... AND HOLDING HIM FOR A 50-DOLLAR RANSOM. THE KIDNAPPERS CALLED AND ORDERED THE TEEN'S FATHER ... TO LEAVE THE MONEY IN A PLANT AT A FAST FOOD RESTAURANT. POLICE SAY THE VICTIM IS OKAY ... BUT HE WAS PUNCHED IN THE FACE AND HELD AT KNIFEPOINT.

LENGTH-01:37 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

ON THE DAY HE FOUND THE LITTLE RED WELT ON HIS CALF...HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING COACH CHRIS BETTINESKI WAS CASUAL...EVEN DISMISSIVE... THOUGHT WAS THAT MAYBE IT WAS A BUG BITE OR INGROWN HAIR. IT DIDN'T APPEAR OUT OF BUT WITHIN A COUPLE OF DAYS ... IT WENT FROM LOOKING LIKE AN INSECT BITE OR SOME KIND OF BUG BITE TO ABOUT THE CIRCUMFERENCE OF A BASEBALL ON THE SIDE OF MY CALF. DOCTORS DIDN'T KNOW WHAT TO MAKE OF IT...EVENTUALLY THEY SETTLED ON DRAINING IT WITH A NEEDLE. GIVING BETTINESKI AN ANTIBIOTIC AND SENDING HIM HOME... BUT DAYS LATER FLUID WOULD FORM A SAC ON HIS LEG AGAIN...THE INFECTION SPREAD QUICKLY TO HIS HIP. THERE WAS THE CHANCE HE COULD LOSE HIS LEG... THAT WAS A REALLY FRIGHTENING TIME NOT KNOWING WHAT WAS GOING TO HAPPEN. BUTT TO: I HEARD THE NURSES TALKING IN THE HALLWAY. THEY WERE SAYING OH, IT'S MRSA, IT'S MRSA. // I ASKED THEM (DOCTOR) WHAT IS MRSA? AND HIS EYES GOT REALLY BIG AND HE SAID WHERE THE HUSHED TONES WOULD STOKE THE BETTINESKI'S DID YOU HEAR THAT? FEARS...UNTIL THEY FINALLY DECIPHERED THAT M-R-S-A WAS METHILLIN RESISTANT STAPHYLOCOCCUS AUREUS OR MERSA (PRONO: MER-SUH)...A SIMPLE STAPH INFECTION THAT OVER THE YEARS HAS MORPHED INTO A POTENTIALLY DEADLY BACTERIA...RESISTANT TO MOST ANTIBIOTICS IT'S GONE FROM BEING SOMETHING EXTREMELY RARE TO THE MOST COMMON BACTERIA THAT WE ISOLATE FROM SKIN INFECTIONS.... IT SEEMS TO FESTER -- IN LOCKER ROOMS AND GYMS... THE HEAT GENERATED THERE...SHARED MATS AND TOWELS AND SKIN-TO-SKIN CONTACT MAKE GYMS AND LOCKER ROOMS A PERFECT HOST. THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL DOCUMENTED EIGHT CASES AMONG THE SAINT LOUIS RAMS IN 2003. THE SAME YEAR MIAMI DOLPHINS' LINEBACKER JUNIOR SEAU (PRONO: SAY-OW) ALSO CONTRACTED THE INFECTION A NUMBER OF THESE OUTBREAKS INVOLVED SOME BREAKS IN THE SKIN. AMONG FOOTBALL PLAYERS THERE WERE TURF BUNS AND OTHER BREAKS IN THE SKIN THAT PROVIDED A WAY FOR THE BACTERIA TO GAIN ENTRY. BELIEVES HE GOT IT ON THE MAT...WRESTLING WITH STUDENTS HE COACHES... ((NATPOP AT THE GYM)) HE'S FINE NOW AFTER MONTHS OF REHAB...THAT LITTLE RED WELT MAY HAVE LEFT A NASTY SCAR...BUT AT LEAST IT DIDN'T ROB HIM OF THE ABILITY TO DO THE THINGS HE LOVES ...

THE FAMILY OF *ANOTHER* SHOOTING SUSPECT SPEAKS OUT.. THE MOTHER OF THE MAN ACCUSED OF OPENING FIRE ON HIS WISCONSIN CHURCH CONGREGATION, SAYS HER SON HAD ISSUES WITH HIS NEW PASTOR TERRY RATZMANN IS ACCUSED OF KILLING THE PASTOR AND SIX OTHERS SATURDAY.. HE THEN TOOK HIS OWN LIFE.. A MEDICAL EXAMINER'S REPORT RELEASED YESTERDAY SAYS THE MAN'S MOTHER TOLD INVESTIGATORS HAD A HISTORY OF DEPRESSION..

LENGTH-01:38 ISSUE-CRIME 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

THIS MOTHER OF TWO HAD BEEN EXPERIENCING DEPRESSION FOR OVER TWENTY YEARS.. MARTHA, SUFFERS FROM DEPRESSION "I CRIED AT THE DROP OF A HAT. THE LITTLEST THINGS IN LIFE WOULD BREAK ME DOWN." HER NAME IS MARTHA..LIKE MILLIONS OF PEOPLE SUFFERING FROM DEPRESSION SHE IS RELUCTANT TO DISCUSS HER ILLNESS ... ASKING US TO NOT REVEAL HER IDENTITY MARTHA: "I DEFINITELY THINK THERE'S A STIGMA ATTACHED TO IT" MARTHA'S DEPRESSION LEFT HER UNABLE TO FUNCTION. MARTHA: "I WAS IN SUCH A DARK PLACE. I COULD NOT GET OVER IT. I COULDN'T GET MYSELF OUT." MEDICATIONS AND THERAPIES DIDN'T WORK...SO SHE TURNED TO AN EXPERIMENTAL FORM OF DEEP BRAIN STIMULATION THAT COULD ACTUALLY HELP WITH HER DEPRESSION BY RESETTING HER BRAIN. THE TREATMENT, CONDUCTED BY DR. SARAH LISANBY AT THE NEW YORK STATE PSYCHIATRIC INSTITUTE. IS CALLED REPETITIVE TRANSCRANIAL MAGNETIC STIMULATION OR TMS. IT WORKS BY USING A POWERFUL PULSATING MAGNET TO SEND A TINY ELECTRICAL CURRENT INTO THE SPECIFIC PART OF THE BRAIN EFFECTED BY DEPRESSION ...ESSENTIALLY REBOOTING THE HUMAN COMPUTER AND HOPEFULLY ALLEVIATING THE SYMPTOMS OF THE ILLNESS. IF PROVEN SAFE AND EFFECTIVE, TMS COULD ALSO BE USED TO TREAT PARKINSON'S DISEASE AND OTHER DISORDERS. MARTHA SAW A DRASTIC IMPROVEMENT IN HER LIFE WITHIN WEEKS MARTHA "IT REALLY HAS CHANGED MY LIFE // I'M HAPPY. I CAN LAUGH EASILY. I CAN ACTUALLY WATCH A COMEDY SHOW AND LAUGH AND REALLY FEEL THE LAUGHTER AND IT FEELS SO GOOD". THOUGH THE PROCEEDURE IS NOT YET APPROVED BY THE FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION, DR. LISANBY IS NOTHING BUT OPTIMISTIC. DR. SARAH LISANBY: "WE ARE AT A VERY EXCITING TIME IN PSYCHIATRY RIGHT NOW. WE ARE JUST SCRATING THE SURFACE ABOUT WHAT POTENTIAL BRAIN STIMULATION COULD ADD TO OUR TREATMENT OPTIONS." MARTHA: "TMS HAS REALLY BROUGHT ME // TO THE POINT WHERE I CAN FUNCTION AS A HUMAN BEING // WORLD'S A MUCH BETTER PLACE I HAVE TO SAY" EARLY RESULTS OF THIS RESEARCH HAVE BEEN SO SUCCESSFUL, THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF HEALTH IS NOW FUNDING ITS OWN PROJECT INVOLVING DR. LISANBY AND HER COLLEAGUES. IF PROVEN SAFE AND EFFECTIVE, THE METHOD COULD ONE DAY BE USED FOR TREATMENT OF PERSONALITY DISORDERS, STROKES AND PERHAPS EPILEPSY.

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LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

48 PEOPLE ARE RECOVERING TODAY ... AFTER GETTING SICK FROM CARBON MONOXIDE FUMES. IT HAPPENED YESTERDAY IN MICHIGAN ... WHEN A GROUP OF SCIENCE ENTHUSIASTS WERE MEETING AT A LOCAL SCHOOL ... AND BEGAN TO GET SICK AND FEEL LIGHT-HEADED. THE GROUP OF CHILDREN AND ADULTS ... WAS RUSHED TO A NEARBY HOSPITAL ... WHERE IT WAS DISCOVERED THEY HAD BEEN POISONED BY CARBON MONOXIDE. EVERYONE *IS* EXPECTED TO MAKE A FULL RECOVERY.

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

IN CALIFORNIA, OPENING STATEMENTS ARE SCHEDULED TODAY IN THE TRIAL OF THE MAN ACCUSED OF ABDUCTING AND KILLING A 5-YEAR-OLD GIRL. 30-YEAR OLD ALEJANDRO AVILA IS ACCUSED IN THE MURDER OF SAMANTHA RUNNION THREE YEARS AGO. THE LITTLE GIRL WAS ABDUCTED WHILE PLAYING OUTSIDE HER CALIFORNIA APARTMENT; HER BODY WAS FOUND THE NEXT DAY IN THE MOUNTAINS 50-MILES AWAY. AVILA COULD FACE THE DEATH PENALTY IF CONVICTED.

LENGTH-01:23 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

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SURFACE ABOUT WHAT POTENTIAL BRAIN STIMULATION COULD ADD TO OUR TREATMENT OPTIONS." (MARTHA)"TMS HAS REALLY BROUGHT ME // TO THE POINT WHERE I CAN FUNCTION AS A HUMAN BEING // WORLD'S A MUCH BETTER PLACE I HAVE TO SAY"

LENGTH-01:12 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

THE CRITICS INSIST THEY ARE NOT, HEAVEN FORBID, ATTACKING THE GIRL SCOUTS. THE GIRL SCOUTS ARE A WONDERFUL ORGANIZATION. IT'S JUST THAT THEIR COOKIES ARE, WELL... BAD FOR YOU. THOSE THIN MINTS, AND PEANUT BUTTER PATTIES, AND DO SI DOS ARE LOADED WITH EMPTY CALORIES FROM SUGAR, AND WHITE FLOUR. WE'RE IN THE MIDST OF AN OBESITY PANDEMIC AND FOR CHILDREN WHO ARE OVERWEIGHT... OBESITY AND DIABETES... IT'S UNBELIEVABLE. AND HERE WE HAVE A GROUP THAT SELLS HUNDREDS OF MILLIONS OF COOKIES. COOKIES ARE PART OF GIRL SCOUT HISTORY. THEY BEGAN SELLING THEM AT BAKE SALES IN 1917. BY THE MID-1940'S, THE COOKIES WERE SO POPULAR, AND PROFITABLE, THE GIRL SCOUTS TURNED OVER PRODUCTION TO TWO LARGE BAKERIES. TODAY MOST COOKIES ARE MADE WITH TRANS FATS. TRANS FATS RAISE BAD CHOLESTEROL, LOWER GOOD CHOLESTEROL, INCREASE INFLAMMATION, AND INCREASE THE RISK OF HEART DISEASE. HEART DISEASE FROM THE GIRL SCOUTS? THE COOKIE BOXES READ: A GIRL SCOUT COOKIE CAN BUILD: STRONG VALUES, STRONG MINDS, STRONG BODIES. BALANCED, HEALTHY LIVING IS NOT ABOUT DENIAL. IF OCCASIONALLY A GIRL WANTS TO HAVE A TREAT OR OUR PUBLIC WANTS TO HAVE A TREAT, WE BELIEVE THAT THE GIRL SCOUT COOKIE IS ONE OF THE MOST DELICIOUS. THERE'S GOT TO BE SOME HEALTHIER ALTERNATIVE. ARE WE AT A STAGE WHERE THE ONLY THING MARKETABLE IS JUNK? BUT DOING AWAY WITH THE COOKIES?? IDEALLY, THE GIRLS WOULD BE SELLING PRODUCTS THAT DON'T UNDERMINE THEIR CUSTOMERS' HEALTH, THE KIDS' HEALTH, WHETHER IT'S HEALTHIER FOODS OR KEY CHAINS, OR WHATEVER. GIRL SCOUT KEY CHAINS. A HARD SELL... COMPARED TO THOSE THIN MINTS.

LENGTH-00:28 SHOW TIME-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

IT'S THE NATION'S WORST SCHOOL SHOOTING SINCE THE COLUMBINE MASSACRE IN 1999. TEN PEOPLE ARE DEAD IN NORTHERN MINNESOTA, EIGHT OF THEM FOUND ON CAMPUS. IT HAPPENED AT RED LAKE HIGH SCHOOL, ON A RESERVATION, ABOUT 75 MILES FROM THE CANADIAN BORDER. THOSE DEAD INCLUDE A TEACHER AND A SECURITY GUARD. INVESTIGATORS BELIEVE A STUDENT KILLED HIS GRANDPARENTS, THEN CAME TO SCHOOL AND BEGAN SHOOTING AT HIS CLASSMATES.. BEFORE KILLING HIMSELF. MORE THAN A DOZEN OTHER STUDENTS WERE INJURED.

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LENGTH-00:33 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A SARASOTA WOMAN IS IN BIG TROUBLE AFTER DEPUTIES SAY SHE SPIT IN AN OFFICER'S FACE... 40-YEAR OLD VALERIE MALLOY WAS BOOKED ON NUMEROUS CHARGES, AFTER DEPUTIES RESPONDED TO A CALL AT HER HOUSE SUNDAY MORNING... INVESTIGATORS SAY MALLOY FIRED A GUN IN HER HOME AND WHEN THEY

PUT THE CUFFS ON HER, SHE SCREAMED AND KICKED.. AND EVEN SPIT IN A DEPUTIE'S FACE... AS IF THAT WASN'T ENOUGH, THEY ALSO FOUND MARIJUANA ON HER DURING BOOKING...MALLOY'S CHARGES INCLUDE BATTERY ON A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER FIRING A GUN IN A HOME, AND DRUG POSSESSION.

MARCH 22, 2005

LENGTH-00:38 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

CHARLOTTE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DETECTIVES ARE STILL LOOKING FOR A BANK ROBBER...HE STRUCK AT NOON LAST THURSDAY.. AT THE CHARLOTTE STATE BANK ON PEACHLAND BOULEVARD...WITNESSES SAY THE MAN CAME INTO THE BANK AND DEMANDED MONEY FROM A TELLER, THEN LEFT WITH THE CASH...NO ONE WAS HURT...THIS IS THE MAN AUTHORITIES ARE LOOKING FOR...THEY SAY HE'S ABOUT 6 FEET TALL.. AROUND 50-TO-60 YEARS OLD...

LENGTH-00:38 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THIS IS THE BUSIEST TIME OF THE YEAR FOR EASTER BUNNIES...BUT ALL THAT EGGHIDING PRESSURE MUST HAVE BEEN TOO MUCH FOR ONE BUNNY...USUALLY THE EASTER BUNNY IS A HAPPY LITTLE CHARACTER LIKE THE ONE SEEN HERE.. ALL READY TO HIDE EGGS AND LEAVE CANDY FOR THE KIDS...BUT "THIS" FELLOW IS QUITE A DIFFERENT STORY...36-YEAR-OLD MICHAEL DESANTIAGO, WHO WORKS AS A MALL EASTER BUNNY IN IOWA, HAS BEEN ARRESTED FOR CAUSING A DISTURBANCE... HE TOLD POLICE SOMEONE THREW WATER AT HIM IN THE MALL.. AND HE SIMPLY FLIPPED OUT AND WENT ON A CURSING RANT, EVEN THREATENING TO KILL SOMEONE STANDING NEARBY...THIS EASTER GRINCH IS NOW CHARGED WITH 2 COUNTS OF HARASSMENT

LENGTH-01:31 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

JAMES BRIER'S GRANDMOTHER MARCHED INTO THE MANATEE COURTHOUSE TODAY WITH A PLEA FOR JUDGE MARC GILNER. DON'T LET JOHN ACOSTA GET OUT PRISON UNTIL HE SERVES HIS SENTENCE. "APPARENTLY SOMEONE AT THE CORRECTIONAL FACILITY WANTS TO RECLASSIFY JOHN ACOSTA AS A YOUTHFUL OFFENDER WHICH WILL AUTOMATICALLY QUALIFY HIM TO GO TO BOOT CAMP FOR 120 DAYS AND AFTER THAT HE WILL BE RELEASED ON 3 YEARS PROBATION." ACOSTA WAS FOUND QUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER IN 2003 FOR KILLING 16 YEAR OLD JAMES BRIER IN AN AFTER SCHOOL FIGHT IN 2001. JUDGE GILNER SENTENCED HIM TO MORE THAN 9 YEARS IN PRISON. THEN YESTERDAY THE STATE'S ATTORNEY'S OFFICE GOT THIS LETTER FROM THE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTE ... A COPY ALSO WENT TO JUDGE GILNER ... ASKING TO RECLASSIFY ACOSTA TO A YOUTHFUL OFFENDER ... EVEN THOUGH HE WAS TRIED AS AN ADULT. IT'LL BE UP TO THE JUDGE TO MAKE THE FINAL DECISION. "I WANT HIM TO SAY HE WANTS IT LEFT AS HE SENTENCED HIM, AS AN ADULT FOR 9 1/4/ YEARS." STATE ATTORNEY DENNIS NALES TELLS ME HIS OFFICE HAS NOTIFIED THE JUDGE THEY OBJECT TO HAVING ACOSTA'S SENTENCE CHANGED ... AND TO HIM

ENTERING ANY PROGRAM THAT AFFECTS HIS SENTENCE. JOAN BRIER SAYS THIS EASES HER MIND. "I HAVE ALL THE FAITH IN THE WORLD ACOSTA WILL NOT BE GETTING OUT." BUT SHE SAYS IT FRIGHTENS HER TO SEE HOW CLOSE HE GOT TO WALKING AWAY. "IF THE JUDGE WERE NOT TO GET THAT LETTER OR NOT TO GET IT IN TIME, OR DELAY SOMEWHERE, AND IT PASSES THE DEADLINE ON THE LETTER IT WOULD AUTOMATICALLY HAPPEN, HE WOULD AUTOMATICALLY BE RECLASSIFIED AS A YOUTHFUL OFFENDER." IT'S BEEN AN EXHAUSTING BATTLE FOR BRIER'S FAMILY. BUT THEY SAY THEY'RE NOT GIVING UP THE FIGHT FOR JUSTICE FOR JAMES. "TO HAVE KEEP GOING BACK AND TO FIGHT AGAIN TO GET THIS MAN TO DO HIS TIME BECOMES REALLY HARD TO TAKE IT REOPENS THE WOUNDS AGAIN."

MARCH 23, 2005

LENGTH-00:27 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES NEED YOUR HELP FINDING A MAN WANTED IN A SHOOTING LAST WEEK...DEPUTIES SAY 30-YEAR OLD CLIFTON DAVIS SHOT LAZAR CRUMITY DURING AN ARGUMENT OVER DRUGS... AUTHORITIES SAY DAVIS ALSO USES THE NAMES CLINTON EVANS AND "POP TICK"...HE'S BEEN ARRESTED BEFORE FOR DRUGS, AGGRAVATED BATTERY, GRAND THEFT AUTO, AND ARMED ROBBERY...

LENGTH-00:29 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED AUTHOR IS IN BRADENTON TODAY, CELEBRATING WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH...LYNN MCDONALD WILL SPEAK AT A LUNCHEON HOSTED BY THE WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP INITIATIVE OF MANATEE COUNTY...SHE'S THE AUTHOR OF "LADIES, IF YOUR HORSE IS DEAD, DISMOUNT!"...MCDONALD IS ALSO KNOWN FOR HER WRITING AND SPEAKING WHICH FOCUSES ON WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT AND TAKING CONTROL OF ONE'S LIFE...

LENGTH-01:16 ISSUE-ELDERLY 7 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THE PENSIONS OF 44 MILLION AMERICANS ARE POTENTIALLY AT RISK.. THE AGENCY THAT INSURES THOSE PENSIONS IS IN DANGER OF NOT HAVING THE MONEY TO GUARANTEE THEM. IT IS A COMPLEX PROBLEM WITH A SIMPLE BOTTOM LINE. "SIMPLY PUT..COMPANIES HAVE OVER PROMISED AND UNDER-DELIEVERED.. THEY HAVE NOT ADEQUATELY FUNDED THE PENSION PROMISES THEY MADE TO THEIR WORKERS AND RETIREES..." UNDER FUNDED THEM TO THE TUNE OF FOUR HUNDRED AND FIFTY BILLION DOLLARS.... ONE QUARTER OF THAT BELONGS TO COMPANIES WHICH ARE LIKELY TO UNLOAD THEIR PENSION PLAN ALLIGATIONS...BECAUSE OF FINANCIAL DIFFICULTIES. COMPANIES SUCH AS BANKRUPT UNITED AIRLINES WHICH IS NEGOTIATING HANDING OFF TWO ITS PENSION PLANS TO THE PENSION BENEFIT GUARANTEE CORPORATION. AND THAT COULD MEAN THAT ITS RETIREES LOSE PROMISED BENEFITS. "SO YOU MAY HAVE SOMEBODY WHO'S PLAYED BY THE RULES HIS ENTIRE CAREER AND HE WAKES UP ONE MORNING AFTER BEING TOLD THAT HIS PENSION IS COMPLETELY SAFE TO

DISCOVER THAT HE'S GOING TO SUFFER A MAJOR DECREASE IN HIS, UH, MONTHLY INCOME. THESE ARE THE GUYS WHO ARE THE REAL VICTIMS OF THIS." ONE OF THESE GUYS IS ED CLARK. FOR 37 YEARS HE WORKED FOR UNITED AIRLINES.. HE TOOK AN EARLY RETIREMENT AFTER BEING CONVINCED BY THE COMPANY IT OFFERED THE BEST DEAL. NOW HE'S BEING TOLD HIS PENSION INCOME COULD BE CUT BY A THIRD TO ONE-HALF. "WE MY HAVE TO SELL THE HOUSE AND DOWNSIZE. MIGHT HAVE TO GO OUT AND GET A PART TIME JOB. MAYBE DRIVING A SCHOOL BUS, I DON'T KNOW. BUT AS FAR AS GETTING BACK IN THE AVIATION INDUSTRY, I DON'T THINK THAT'S GOING TO HAPPEN NOW BECAUSE THEY'RE OUTSOURCING THE WORK TO OVERSEAS COMPANIES." THE P-B-G-C IS SUPPOSED TO BE FUNDED BY THE COMPANIES WHO PARTICIPATE.

LENGTH-00:06 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

IN HER LINE OF WORK 53 YEAR OLD LINDA JENKINS SPENDS PRACTICALLY ALL DAY TALKING AND LATELY SHE'S BEEN HITTING SOME BLANK SPOTS ((NATS SAYING "UH, UH, UH" AT SALES MEETING CAUSING HER A LOT OF ANXIETY I'LL BE TALKING ALONG AND ALL OF A SUDDEN, WHEN THAT HAPPENS SO OFTEN IT CALLS ATTENTION. IT IS FRUSTRATING, TO ME IT IS. ((QUICKIE NATPOP)) SO JENKINS IS TRYING AN UNUSUAL PROGRAM TO FIX HER MEMORY FLAMEOUTS - THE FIRST "BOOT CAMP FOR THE BRAIN," RUN BY THE MEMORY FITNESS INSTITUTE IN FOUNTAIN VALLEY. CALIFORNIA. ((NATPOP)) THE BRAINS OF THE OPERATION IS DR. GARY SMALL - THE PROGRAM BASED ON HIS BEST-SELLING BOOK, "THE MEMORY PRESCRIPTION." HE HAS SPENT HIS LIFE TRYING TO UNRAVEL THE MEMORY MYSTERY. WHILE ADMITTING THERE ARE OTHER FACTORS, HE SAYS SIMPLE LIFESTYLE CHANGES CAN IMPROVE YOUR MEMORY IN JUST 14 DAYS... WHAT CAN WE DO TODAY TO KEEP OUR BRAINS HEALTHY AND FIT. HERE IT IS, THE BIG FOUR. MENTAL ACTIVITY, PHYSICAL CONDITIONING, HEALTHY DIET AND STRESS REDUCTION. THE KEYS TO MEMORY FITNESS BACK AT BOOT CAMP, JENKINS IS ALREADY BUSY. FIRST -- STOCKING UP ON BRAIN HEALTHY FOODS RICH IN ANTIOXIDANTS AND WITH PLENTY OF OMEGA 3 FATTY ACIDS WHICH SMALL SAYS MAY KEEP BRAIN CELLS FROM DEGENERATING SOME OF HIS SUGGESTIONS ARE...BLUEBERRIES...PRUNES...SALMON...AND NUTS ANOTHER PRESCRIPTION: CUT DOWN ON STRESS... ANOTHER MEMORY BUSTER. TWO OTHER KEY ELEMENTS OF THE PROGRAM -- EXERCISE YOUR BODY *AND* YOUR BRAIN LIKE ZANY STORY TELLING METHODS TO REMEMBER LISTS OF WORDS... NATPOP: "THE MORE FANTASTIC AND EXAGGERATED YOU CAN MAKE THE PICTURE. THE EASIER IT IS TO REMEMBER" A LAWYER UH WEARING A VEST EATING AN ARTICHOKE AND A BANANA AND NOTICED UH RIDING A HORSE ON THIS ROAD... BENDERS...OR SIMPLY WRITING WITH YOUR LEFT HAND IF YOU'RE RIGHT-HANDED --ALL ARE WAYS BOOTCAMPERS SHARPEN THEIR BRAINS DURING WEEKLY MEETINGS

LENGTH-00:17 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

A 29-YEAR OLD MAN IS DUE IN COURT THIS AFTERNOON ON A VARIETY OF CHARGES. POLICE SAY BRENDAN GLASS WENT ON A VERITBLE SPENDING SPREE AFTER STEALING A CHECKBOOK AND CREDIT CARD. POLICE SAY HE CHARGED OVER THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS AT DILLARDS DEPARTMENT STORE. HE WAS STAYING AT THE RITZ CARLTON WHEN POLICE CAUGHT UP WITH HIM. HE'S DUE IN COURT IN ABOUT AN HOUR.

A NAPLES WOMAN HAS BEEN SENTENCED TO 30 DAYS FOR KILLING HER NEIGHBOR'S CHIHUAHUA WITH A SHOTGUN. 49-YEAR-OLD WANDA ZIGLAR CLAIMS THE DOG ATTACKED HER. AGAIN IT WAS A TWO POUND CHIHAUHUA SHE KILLED WITH A SHOTGUN. IN COURT, THE WOMAN PLEADED NO CONTEST.

LENGTH-00:48 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

THIS WEEK, DAVID LETTERMAN IS MANAGING TO AGAIN MAKE LIGHT OF HIS PERSONAL LIFE. I DON'T THINK I'LL EVER GET TIRED OF SEEING MY HOUSE ON TELEVISION WHILE I'M IN MY HOUSE WATCHING TELEVISION. BUT MONTANA AUTHORITIES AREN'T LAUGHING AT THE PLOT TO KIDNAP LETTERMAN'S ONLY CHILD. YESTERDAY, KELLY FRANK, A FORMER LETTERMAN EMPLOYEE WHO HAD HELPED PAINT AND REFURBISH THE LATE SHOW HOST'S ROCKY MOUNTAIN RANCH, PLEADED 'NOT GUILTY' TO PLOTTING TO KIDNAP ONE-YEAR-OLD HARRY LETTERMAN. MR. FRANK'S ATTORNEYS SAY THE CHARGES ARE ALL PART OF A MISUNDERSTANDING ... AND INSIST HE WAS JOKING WHEN HE TOLD AN ACQUAINTANCE, BOB GONDEIRO, ABOUT AN IDEA TO HOLD LETTERMAN'S SON AND NANNY RANSOM FOR MILLIONS OF DOLLARS. BUT WHAT THE ATTORNEY CONSIDERS 'LIGHTHEARTED' TALK WAS TAKEN SERIOUSLY BY GONDEIRO... WHO WENT TO AUTHORTIES WITH NEWS OF THE PLOT. HE DIDN'T WANT NOBODY TO GET HURT. HE LIKES CHILDREN. KELLY FRANK, WHO WAS PREVIOUSLY CHARGED WITH INTIMIDATING AN EX-GIRLFRIEND, REMAINS JAILED ON 650 THOUSAND DOLLARS BOND.

LENGTH-01:59 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

WHEN TERRI SCHIAVO WAS ADMITTED TO THE HOSPITAL 15 YEARS AGO. HER ENTIRE FAMILY PULLED TOGETHER. THERE WAS, IN THOSE FIRST SEVERAL YEARS FOLLOWING THE ACCIDENT, VERY AGGRESSIVE EFFORTS BY MICHAEL AND BY THE FAMILY WHO WERE WORKING CLOSELY TOGETHER TO BRING HER BACK. Reporter: JAY WOLFSON, A LAWYER AND PROFESSOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH, WAS APPOINTED BY THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE A YEAR AND A HALF AGO TO REPORT ON SCHIAVO'S CONDITION FOR GOVERNOR JEB BUSH AND THE COURTS. I READ CLOSE TO 30,000 PAGES OF DOCUMENTS. I READ FILES THAT WERE SEALED. I LOOKED AT THE MEDICAL RECORDS.SCHIAVO SPENT MOST OF THE FIRST TWO AND A HALF MONTHS AFTER HER CARDIAC ARREST IN THIS HOSPITAL, IN A COMA, WHEN SHE FINALLY OPENED HER EYES, DOCTORS THERE SAID SHE WAS NOT CONSCIOUS. SHE WAS DIAGNOSED AS BEING A PERSISTENT VEGETATIVE STATE AFTER SHE EMERGED FROM A COMA. Reporter: OVER THE NEXT SEVERAL MONTHS, SHE WENT FROM REHABILITATION CENTERS TO HOSPITALS AND BACK AGAIN -- EACH DAY GETTING OCCUPATIONAL AND PHYSICAL THERAPY. A VARIETY OF EFFORTS TO TONE MUSCLES, TO BEND ARMS AND LEGS, MOVE THE BODY TO GET IT TO RESPOND AS OPPOSED TO JUST REFLEX. WOLFSON FOUND -- THERE WAS NO IMPROVEMENT, A BATTERY OF TESTS, INCLUDING MRI SCANS, SHOWED BRAIN FUNCTION REMAINED SIGNIFICANTLY IMPAIRED. THE RECORDS ALSO SHOW SHE COULD NOT SWALLOW FOOD OR WATER. SIX MONTHS AFTER HER CARDIAC ARREST, IN AUGUST OF 1990. MICHAEL SCHIAVO TOOK HIS WIFE TO CALIFORNIA. WHERE DOCTORS IMPLANTED ELECTRODES IN HER BRAIN, TRYING TO STIMULATE THE CELLS. IT WAS A VERY EXPERIMENTAL TECHNIQUE THAT WAS PUBLISHED. SOME OF TERRI'S PHYSICIANS THOUGHT THAT IT MIGHT BE A LONG SHOT. AND MICHAEL TOOK THAT LONG SHOT.

Reporter: WOLFSON SAID IT DID NOTHING TO HELP. HER CEREBRAL CORTEX HAD BEEN SO PROFOUNDLY AFFECTED THAT MUCH OF IT HAD TURNED TO LIQUID BY THAT TIME. Reporter: AFTER FOUR YEARS OF INTENSIVE EFFORT, THE RECORD SHOWED THAT MICHAEL SCHIAVO CONCLUDED WHAT DOCTORS HAD BEEN TELLING HIM MONTHS AFTER HIS WIFE WAS ADMITTED TO THE HOSPITAL -- THAT THERE WAS NO REASONABLE CHANCE OF HER RECOVERY. A YEAR AND A HALF AGO, WOLFSON SAW FOR HIMSELF, VISITING SCHIAVO EVERY DAY FOR SEVERAL WEEKS. HE SAID HE TALKED TO HER, HELD HER FACE, STROKED HER HAIR, ALMOST ANYTHING TO GET HER TO -- RESPOND IN SOME WAY, SOME CONSISTENT PERIODIC WAY THAT GAVE ME A SIGN THERE WAS SOMEONE IN THERE. I DID NOT GET ANY, NO. Reporter: WOLFSON'S REPORT SUGGESTED DOING MORE TESTS ON SCHIAVO IF FAMILY MEMBERS COULD AGREE ON HOW TO INTERPRET THE RESULTS. THEY COULD NOT. AND THE TESTING WAS NEVER DONE.

MARCH 24, 2005

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

SARASOTA POLICE HAVE ARRESTED A WOMAN THED TO STAB A 66 YEAR OLD SARASOTA MAN TO DEATH. POLICE RESPONDED TO THE CALL YESTERDAY ON BOULEVARD OF THE ARTS AND FOUND 66 YEAR OLD JIMMY WALKER BLEEDING FROM A STAB WOUND. POLICE LATER ARRESTED 40-YEAR-OLD ANNIE NORRIS AND CHARGED HER WITH ATTEMPTED HOMICIDE. WALKER WAS TAKEN TO SARASOTA MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, HIS CONDITION IS UNKNOWN.

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

A JUDGE HAS ORDERED CRIME SCENE PHOTOS IN THE DELTONA MURDERS TO REMAIN SEALED UNTIL TRIAL. PROSECUTORS SAY PICTURES AND VIDEOS OF THE SCENE COULD TAINT A POTENTIAL JURY POOL. AUTHORITIES SAY TROY VICTORINO AND 3 OTHERS USED BATS TO KILL SIX PEOPLE AND A SMALL DOG LAST AUGUST. PROSECUTORS SAY IT WAS A FIGHT OVER A VIDEO GAME SYSTEM VICTORINO SAYS HE LEFT IN A HOUSE WHERE THE VICTIMS LIVED. VICTORINO DENIES INVOLVEMENT IN THE KILLINGS.

LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

AN ACCUSED CHILD MOLESTER RELEASED TWICE ON BAIL, IS BACK BEHIND BARS. AUTHORITIES ARRESTED 42-YEAR-OLD WINSTON WHITTINGHAM IN FORT LAUDERDALE AFTER HE RETURNED FROM HIS NATIVE JAMAICA. WHITTINGHAM WAS CHARGED WITH SEXUALLY ASSAULTING HIS GIRLFRIEND'S 14-YEAR-OLD DAUGHTER TWICE, IN 2002. HE WAS JAILED AND RELEASED ON BOND BOTH TIMES. AUTHORITIES SAY HE DID IT AGAIN IN JANUARY 2003, AFTER HE MOVED BACK IN WITH HIS GIRLFRIEND. SHE WAS ARRESTED FOR CHILD NEGLECT, BUT WHITTINGHAM HAD TAKEN-OFF TO JAMAICA.

MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES NOW HAVE A SUSPECTED GUNMAN IN CUSTODY. DEPUTIES SAY CLIFTON DAVIS SHOT LAZAR CRUMITY IN AN ARGUMENT OVER DRUGS. HE'S BEEN ARRESTED BEFORE FOR DRUGS, AGGRAVATED BATTERY, GRAND THEFT AUTO, AND ARMED ROBBERY. DAVIS IS IN THE MANATEE COUNTY JAIL WITHOUT BOND.

MARCH 25, 2005

LENGTH-00:29 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

BRADENTON POLICE NAB A BURGLARY SUSPECT WHO THEY SAY HID IN A DAYCARE TO AVOID ARREST...THE SUSPECT, WHOSE IDENTITY HASN'T BEEN RELEASED, RAN FROM POLICE WHEN THEY TRIED TO STOP HIM FOR DRIVING A VEHICLE WITH A STOLEN LICENSE PLATE...HE CRASHED THE CAR AND RAN INTO THE HARVEST DAY CARE CENTER AND HID IN THE CEILING...OFFICERS EVACUATED THE DAYCARE AND ARRESTED THE SUSPECT.. WHO'S CHARGED WITH BURGLARY, RESISTING ARREST, AND LEAVING THE SCENE OF AN ACCIDENT.

LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

CAMERAS CAUGHT THE ROBBERS FROM THREE DIFFERENT ANGLES. IN THE DOOR WITH WHITE LAUNDRY BASKETS IN HAND. ONE GUY JUMPS THE COUNTER, THE OTHER TWO GO AROUND. THEN ALL THREE JUST UNLOAD SHELVES OF CIGARETTES. ON THE WAY OUT --ONE OF THEM GRABS A DISPLAY FULL OF LIGHTERS. SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES SAY THE SPEED OF THE OPERATION SHOWS THEY MUST HAVE BEEN IN THE STORE BEFORE --TO CASE THE PLACE. KNOWING THEY COULD GET INTO THIS PLACE, GET THE CIGARETTES AND GET OUT WITHIN MINUTES SHOWS THEY MUST'VE PLANNED IT OUT.

LENGTH-01:36 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

MARCI TABAK IS ALL DRESSED UP TO CELEBRATE THE JEWISH FESTIVAL OF PURIM. NATSOT UP OF PRAYER HER SON DAVID, RECITES THE MEGILLAH, COMMEMORATING THE JEWS SALVATION IN ANCIENT PERSIA. FOR SEVEN YEARS, THE TABAK FAMILY HAS BEEN CELEBRATING HOLIDAYS THIS WAY ... EVER SINCE MARCI'S HEART ATTACK SEVEN YEARS AGO LEFT HER IN A PERSISTENT VEGETATIVE STATE...OR PVS....A CONDITION JUST LIKE TERRI SCHIAVO'S. MARCI'S HUSBAND YA'ACOV HAS BEEN FIGHTING THE MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT EVER SINCE. "MARCI'S MOTOR FUNCTIONS WERE AFFECTED BUT YOU ARE CONVINCED THAT HER MENTAL CAPACITY REMAINS UNAFFECTED?" "THAT IS CORRECT. YOU HIT THE NAIL ON THE HEAD. NEUROLOGISTS WILL HEAR ME AND SAY "OH, THAT'S ABSURD, HOW CAN YOU SAY THAT?" BUT I CONTEND THEY DON'T KNOW. I CONTEND THERE HASN'T BEEN ANY SERIOUS RESEARCH ON A BROAD SCALE OF COGNITION OF PERSISTENT VEGETATIVE STATE DIAGNOSIS." AND YA'ACOV, A DOCTOR OF CHEMISTRY BY TRAINING, HAS UNDERTAKEN HIS OWN RESEARCH. SEVEN YEARS AGO, HE BEGAN EXPERIMENTING WITH WORDS AND PICTURES... "SO WE TOOK THE TABLET AND WROTE THE LETTER BLINK ON IT AND DIDNT SAY ANYTHING AND SHOWED IT TO HER AND EVENTUALLY SHE BLINKED." SOON, MARCI WAS RESPONDING TO COLORS AND SOUNDS... NOW.

MARCI'S TWO CAREGIVERS COMMUNICATE BY READING HER SUBTLE FACIAL EXPRESSIONS... SOMETHING MARCI'S NURSE, MARIA, SAW IN TERRI SCHIAVO WHEN SHE SAW THE STORY ON TELEVISION... "AND I SAW THE SAME REACTION AND I TOLD YA'ACOV, "SHE'S THERE" YOU CAN TELL BY THE EYES THAT SHE'S THERE. THE SAME EXACT THING I SAW WITH MARCI EXCEPT THAT SHE NEEDS A LOT OF STIMULATION TO BE ABLE TO EXPRESS HERSELF." YA'ACOV IMMEDIATELY CONTACTED A FRIEND OF SCHIAVO'S PARENTS, BOB AND MARY SCHINDLER. "...AND I SAID, GET THIS INFORMATION TO BOB AND MARY SCHINDLER, I'LL DO ANYTHING TO HELP--THAT THEY PREVAIL." YA'ACOV BELIEVES THAT TERRI SCHIAVO, LIKE HIS WIFE, RETAINS COGNITIVE ABILITIES...AND WOULD BENEFIT FROM MENTAL STIMULATION. "THE MINUTE YOU LABEL A HUMAN BEING A PLANT, A VEGETABLE, YOU'RE CONDEMNING THEM TO SOME HORRIBLE FATE SOONER OR LATER BECAUSE NOBODY RESPECTS PLANTS THE WAY THEY RESPECT HUMAN BEINGS."

MARCH 26, 2005

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-EARLY

AN ARCADIA MAN ... IS RECOVERING FROM A GUN SHOT WOUND TODAY. SARASOTA POLICE SAY 23 YEAR OLD JAIME REED ...WAS SHOT DURING A FIGHT IN A PARKING LOT IN DOWNTOWN SARASOTA.. IT HAPPENED ACROSS THE STREET FROM "CLUB ENVY" ...ON RINGLING BOULEVARD AROUND 2AM THIS MORNING. REED WAS TREATED AT SARASOTA MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.. 3 MEN WERE TAKEN IN TO CUSTODY. BUT THEN LATER RELEASED. NO CHARGES HAVE BEEN FILED AT THIS TIME. THE INVESTIGATION CONTINUES.

LENGTH-00:16 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-LATE

THERE'S A JESUS THIEF ON THE LOOSE IN NORTH CAROLINA. MEMBERS OF A SMALL CHURCH THERE ... SAY SOMEONE SWIPED THEIR JESUS. THE CHRIST FIGURE WAS STOLEN OFF A CROSS THAT'S PART OF THE EASTER SCENE OUTSIDE EACH YEAR CHURCH MEMBERS HAND-CRAFT A NEW FIGURE ... FOR THEIR SCENE.

MARCH 27, 2005

NOTHING

MARCH 28, 2005

LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A SIX-YEAR-OLD NEW PORT RICHEY BOY IS IN THE HOSPITAL AFTER BEING RUN OVER BY AN ICE CREAM TRUCK...THE FLORIDA HIGHWAY PATROL SAYS JACK FITCH GRABBED A DOOR HANDLE ON THE TRUCK AND RAN BESIDE IT BEFORE FALLING UNDER A REAR WHEEL...HE WAS FLOWN TO BAYFRONT MEDICAL CENTER...THERE'S

NO WORD ON HIS CONDITION...INVESTIGATORS SAY THEY DON'T PLAN TO CHARGE THE TRUCK'S DRIVER.

LENGTH-01:27 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

STOPPING LIFE SUSTAINING TREATMENT...A GRIM PROGNOSIS...AN ALMOST IMPOSSIBLE CHANCE AT RECOVERY ... EVERYDAY, DOCTORS TAKE ON THESE ISSUES, THEY HAVE HEARTBREAKING CONVERSATIONS WITH FAMILIES WHO HAVE TAKEN ON THE LIFE AND DEATH DECISIONS OF THEIR LOVED ONES. THERE ARE SOMETIMES WHEN FAMILIES TURN TO ME AND SAY IF THIS WAS YOUR MOTHER WHAT WOULD I DO AND I ANSWER HONESTLY I DON'T KNOW WHAT I WOULD DO. THIS IS THE HARDEST PART OF THE DISCUSSION BECAUSE. IT'S A VERY DELICATE DANCE AND THERE IS NO ONE STYLE. EVERY PATIENT, EVERY FAMILY IS DIFFERENT. MANY DOCTORS TRY TO PUSH ASIDE THEIR OWN PERSONAL BELIEFS ON WHAT'S RIGHT AND WRONG IN ORDER TO FOCUS ON WHAT IS BEST FOR THE PATIENT. AT A TIME WHEN A FAMILY CAN BE IN AN IMMEASURABLE HAZE OF CONFUSION AND EMOTION, PATIENTS AND FAMILIES RELY ON THE PHYSICIAN TO GUIDE THEM THROUGH IT'S A POWERFUL THING THE PRIVILEGE AND THE HARDEST PART OF BEING A PHYSICIAN. THERE ARE AT TIMES WHEN ALL THE MEDICAL INTERVENTIONS IN THE WORLD IS NOT GOING TO PROLONG LIFE. I THINK PEOPLE WANT 100 PERCENT AND WE WILL NEVER BE ABLE TO HAVE A 100 PERCENT. COULD I BE WRONG? ABSOLUTELY. BUT I HAVE TO GIVE A RECOMMENDATION BASED ON WHAT I KNOW AND THE MOST PROBABLE THING THAT WILL HAPPEN. IN THESE ROOMS, DOCTORS FACE ANGER, FRUSTRATION, HURT AND IN SOME CASES...A LASTING HOPE FOR A MIRACLE. IF A MIRACLE IS GOING TO HAPPEN AND THIS PERSON IS GOING TO EAT OR BREATHE ON THEIR OWN AND DO WHATEVER IT IS THAT WILL BE NECESSARY TO MAINTAIN THEM AND I TELL THEM THAT A MIRACLE DOESN'T NEED ME TO MAKE IT HAPPEN. I NEVER USE THE PHRASE THERE IS NO HOPE. I NEVER USE THE PHRASE THERE IS NOTHING MORE WE CAN DO. THERE IS NOTHING MORE THAT CAN BE DONE. BECAUSE THERE IS ALWAYS HOPE. TERRI SCHIAVO'S STORY SUDDENLY FORCED MANY OF US TO CONFRONT THE ISSUES OF LIVING WILLS, HOPES OF RECOVERY, AND BEATING THE ODDS, BUT FOR DOCTORS. LIKE THESE. THE TOUGH ISSUES ARE PART OF DAILY LIFE.

LENGTH-00:27 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

POLICE ARE LOOKING FOR THIS WOMAN.... 25 YEAR OLD AUDREY MUELLER. THEY SAY SHE LEFT THE SCENE OF A DEADLY ACCIDENT ON THE MCCARTHY CAUSEWAY SATURDAY NIGHT AND HASN'T BEEN SEEN SINCE. POLICE SAY SHE CRASHED THIS FORD EXPLORER INTO THIS DODGE STRATUS, WHICH WAS CARRYING SEVEN PASSENGERS... ALL FAMILY MEMBERS, FOUR VISITING FROM TAMPA, THREE FROM COLUMBIA. ONE MOTHER OF TWO WAS KILLED, AND SIX OTHERS WERE INJURED.. POLICE SAY MUELLER ORIGINALLY TRIED TO RUN AWAY FROM THE SCENE, AND SHE WAS STOPPED. BUT THEN WHILE SHE WAS RECEIVING TREATMENT FOR HER INJURIES, SHE WAS ABLE TO GET AWAY. "AFTER FIRE RESCUE WORKED ON HER... SHE DECIDED TO FLEE THE SCENE ON FOOT"

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A 52-YEAR-OLD NEW JERSEY WOMAN IS CHARGED WITH KIDNAPPING... AUTHORITIES SAY SHE TOOK AN INFANT SHE WAS BABYSITTING. OFFICIALS SAY ANA MARIE MARTINEZ HID A MISCARRIAGE, THEN TRIED TO PASS OFF THIS CHILD AS HER OWN... EVEN TRYING TO FOOL HER BOYFRIEND. THE MAN CONTACTED THE BOY'S PARENTS ON SUNDAY. THE CHILD WAS RETURNED TO THEM IN GOOD CONDITION.

MARCH 29, 2005

LENGTH-01:36 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

IT'S THE LATEST INSTALLMENT IN A PROFESSIONALLY-PRODUCED SERIES OF PORNOGRAPHIC VIDEOS FEATURING COLLEGE STUDENTS. THIS ONE SHOT ON LOCATION RIGHT HERE: IN WHAT APPEARS TO BE THE LIVING ROOM OF THE PHI KAPPA TAU FRATERNITY HOUSE. STARRING REAL PORN STARS AND REAL FRATERNITY BROTHERS. (SOT) NO SUPER! "I'M EMBARRASSED AS A STUDENT GETTING A DEGREE FROM HERE THAT THAT'S HAPPENING." IT'S JUST THE LATEST IN A STRING OF TRAGIC AND/OR EMBARRASSING INCIDENTS INVOLVING CHICO FRATERNITIES. JANSEN "WE'RE PRETTY FED UP WITH THE WAY THE FRATERNITIES ARE HANDLING THEIR RESPONSIBILITTIES AND EXAMPLE FOR CHICO STATE. THIS IS NOT APPROPRIATE AND I THINK THEY KNOW IT." WE APPROACHED THE HOUSE TO ASK WHAT THEY WERE THINKING. "IS THERE SOMEONE WE COULD TALK TO ABOUT THE VIDEO? I DON'T THINK THERE IS. I THINK WE'RE DISCUSSING THINGS WITH OUR NATIONALS AND STUFF LIKE THAT." THE CHICO STATE ADMINISTRATION HAS BARRED THE FRATERNITY FROM CAMPUS ACTIVITIES WHILE IT INVESTIGATES THE INCIDENT. WILLIS "WE WANT TO KNOW HOW IT OCCURRED, WE WANT TO KNOW WHY IT OCCURRED, WHY THE FRATERNITY WOULD GO AGAINST THE KIND OF CONDUCT THEY'RE SUPPOSED TO STAND FOR AND GET INVOLVED IN THIS." WARREN "THE TRUTH IS THERE'S NOT A WHOLE LOT THE UNIVERSITY CAN DO. THE FRATERNITY IS IN A PRIVATE HOME, THREE BLOCKS OFF CAMPUS." THE TOUGHEST PUNISHMENT COULD POTENTIALLY COME FROM THE FRATERNITY'S NATIONAL OFFICE IN OHIO. IN A WRITTEN STATEMENT, THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER SAID "PHI KAPPA TAU IS EMBARRASSED BY THESE ALLEGATIONS" AND HAS SUSPENDED ITS LOCAL CHAPTER. (SOT) JONES "I THINK THEY PROBABLY KNEW IT WAS WRONG." SOME STUDENTS ARE ANXIOUS FOR CHICO STATE TO SHAKE ITS PARTY SCHOOL IMAGE; BUT NOT ALL. JAMES "WERE THEY UNDERAGE? I DON'T THINK SO. WERE THE GIRLS WILLING? APPARENTLY. ALLRIGHT THEN, WHAT'S THE PROBLEM?" THIS PORN-FILM INCIDENT IS JUST THE LATEST BLACK-EYE ON A CHICO STATE FRATERNITY, IN FEBRUARY, A 21-YEAR-OLD STUDENT DIED IN AN APPARENT HAZING INCIDENT AT THE CHI TAU FRATERNITY HOUSE. MATTHEW CARRINGTON DIED AFTER DRINKING FIVE-GALLONS OF WATER. CRIMINAL CHARGES ARE FILED AGAINST SEVERAL FRATERNITY MEMBERS.

LENGTH-00:30 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

THERE IS A GROWING BODY OF EVIDENCE THAT SHOWS THAT PEOPLE CAN DELAY AND EVEN PREVENT THE ONSET OF DEMENTIA BY LIVING A HEALTHIER LIFESTYLE WHEN YOUNG. AND THAT INCLUDES EXERCISING. WHEN A PERSON SLOWS DOWN-SO DOES THE BLOOD FLOW, ALLOWING PROTEINS OR AMYLOIDS TO "PARK" AND CLOG

UP THE LANES OF THE HIGHWAY. THE RESULT IS...MESSAGES DON'T GET THRU AND WE START TO FORGET THINGS ... AND EVENTUALLY DEVELOP DEMENTIA. "THE BRAIN NEEDS TO BE WASHED OUT AND WHEN YOU EXERCISE, OUR METABOLISM GOES UP AND OUR BRAIN IS CLEANSED." A RECENT CANADIAN STUDY FOUND THOSE IN THE MOST ACTIVE GROUP COMPARED TO INACTIVE INDIVIDUALS WERE 50% LESS LIKELY TO DEVELOP ALZHEIMER'S AND 40% LESS LIKELY TO DEVELOP ANY OTHER TYPE OF DEMENTIA OR MENTAL IMPAIRMENT.

LENGTH-01:01 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

IN TODAY'S SOCIETY OF SLEEPERS, THE MAJORITY OF PEOPLE LOOK AND SOUND MORE LIKE THIS. I GET ABOUT SIX HOURS OF SLEEP ON AN AVERAGE NIGHT. ON AN AVERAGE NIGHT 4 AND A HALF HOURS MANY AMERICANS HAVE AROUND-THE-CLOCK AGENDAS THAT PREVENT THEM FROM GETTING THE PROPER AMOUNT OF SHUT-EYE THEIR BODIES ARE BEGGING FOR. I THINK WE LIVE TO FAST, WE HAVE TOO MUCH INFO, WE DO TOO MUCH. A NEW SURVEY SHOWS THAT MOST PEOPLE NEED ABOUT EIGHT HOURS OF SLEEP A NIGHT, TO FEEL GOOD AND FUNCTION PROPERLY. BUT ONLY 26 PERCENT OF AMERICANS ACTUALLY ACHIEVE THIS. THAT NUMBER HAS DROPPED FROM JUST FOUR YEARS AGO, WHEN THE NUMBER TOPED 38 PERCENT. AS MANY AS SEVEN OUT OF TEN PEOPLE IN THE SURVEY PINPOINT THEIR PROBLEMS AS GETTING TO SLEEP, AND STAYING ASLEEP. OTHERS BLAME THEIR PARTNERS, WHO CAUSE THEM TO LOSE. ON AVERAGE, NEARLY AN HOUR OF SLEEP A NIGHT, AND TWENTY-THREE PERCENT OF COUPLES SAY THEY CANNOT SLEEP IN THE SAME BED TOGETHER. MY WIFE USES AN EAR PLUG I DO THE SNORING, AND WHEN I DO SNORE SHE SHOVES ME A LITTLE BIT AND I WAKE UP SLEEP PROBLEMS, OF COURSE, ARE NOT LIMITED TO ADULTS. BEFORE UNDERGOING TREATMENT, TWO AND-A-HALF YEAR OLD OWEN URESTI WAS A TYPICAL TODDLER BY DAY, BUT WHEN THE SUN WENT DOWN, HOURLY NIGHT-TERRORS TRANSFORMED HIM, PUTTING A TREMENDOUS STRAIN ON THE FAMILY. I NEVER SLEEP, YOU TELL ME HOW YOU'RE GOING TO **FUNCTION**

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

A 19-YEAR OLD ENGLEWOOD MAN MAY BE THE VICTIM OF A DRUG OVERDOSE. CHARLOTTE COUNTY DEPUTIES SAY SEAN BERRY DIED LAST WEEK. HIS FRIENDS SAY HE'D TAKEN SOME PRESCRIPTION PAIN MEDICATION CALLED LORA-TAB 10. THEN PLAYED VIDEO GAMES AND WENT TO SLEEP. THE NEXT DAY, DEPUTIES SAY BERRY WASN'T BREATHING. HOSPITAL OFFICIALS SAY THEY FOUND COCAINE, METHADONE, AND SOME OTHER OPIATES IN HIS SYSTEM.

LENGTH-01:33 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

IN INTENSIVE CARE UNITS OF HOSPITALS, PATIENTS OFTEN HOVER PRECARIOUSLY BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH. SOMETIMES THE BIGGEST PROBLEM DOCTORS AND NURSES HERE FACE IS SIMPLE PHYSICS. MELANIE SWECKER, CRITICAL CARE NURSE: "NO MATTER HOW GOOD OF A NURSE YOU ARE AND I'VE BEEN A NURSE A LONG TIME I CAN'T BE IN TWO PLACES AT ONCE." AT THIS VIRGINIA HOSPITAL, NURSE SWECKER

NOW RECEIVES EXTRA HELP ... FROM DOCTORS AND NURSES 9 MILES AWAY MONITORING HER PATIENTS. DR. ELIZABETH COWBOY, MEDICAL DIRECTOR FOR INOVA HEALTH SYSTEM EICU: "HI MELANIE IT'S DR. COWBOY MELANIE" AT THIS CONTROL CENTER -- USING CAMERAS, MICROPHONES AND COMPUTER SOFTWARE --DR ELIZABETH COWBOY AND HER COLLEAGUES CAN MONITOR UP TO 108 PATIENTS IN 5 LOCAL HOSPITALS... INCLUDING TAMISA POPE...THEY CAN HAVE CONVERSATIONS... COWBOY: "ARE YOU FEELING BETTER? TAMISA - OH YEAH." THIS IS CALLED AN "ENHANCED INTENSIVE CARE UNIT." THIS TECHNOLOGY IS ONLY FIVE YEARS OLD ...HOSPITALS IN 19 STATES ARE NOW USING IT. ON SIX COMPUTER SCREENS DR COWBOY CAN READ POPE'S MEDICAL CHART....CHECK HER BREATHING.... HEART RATE....AND OTHER VITAL SIGNS. THE TECHNOLOGY IS NOT MEANT TO REPLACE DOCTORS AND NURSES MAKING ROUNDS IN PERSON...BUT IT ADDS A LAYER OF PROTECTION -- EXTRA EYES, EARS, AND EXPERTISE. MELANIE SWECKER, CRITICAL CARE NURSE: "WE HAVE PATIENTS WHOSE OXYGEN COMES OUT TRY TO GET OUT OF BED THAT OUR EYES, OUR CAMERAS HAVE BEEN ABLE TO SEE FASTER THAN THE NURSE WHO'S BUSY IN THE NEXT ROOM." "WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO ASSIST THE BEDSIDE TEAM IN SAVING LIVES." A RECENT STUDY BY A MEDICAL JOURNAL FOUND THESE UNITS REDUCED HOSPITAL MORTALITY RATES FOR INTENSIVE CARE PATIENTS BY 27 PERCENT... THEY ALSO SHORTENED HOSPITAL STAYS ...AND THUS REDUCED COSTS. PATIENTS WE SPOKE TO DID NOT FEEL THE CAMERAS WERE TOO INTRUSIVE. POPE: "IT DEFINITELY MAKES YOU FEEL SAFER THIS MORNING I HAD A PROBLEM WITH MY OXYGEN GOING DOWN THEY WERE LIKE JOHNNY ON THE SPOT." AFTER ALL. PATIENTS IN INTENSIVE CARE GENERALLY WANT -- AND NEED -- TO BE WATCHED 24 HOURS A DAY.

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

THE STATE ATTORNEY'S OFFICE IS DECIDING IF CHARGES ARE WARRANTED IN THE BEATING OF A SARASOTA MAN.. SARASOTA POLICE INVESTIGATED A GROUP OF TEENAGERS WHO ARE ACCUSED OF BEATING 50-YEAR OLD THOMAS CONTANT LAST MONTH.. CONTANT ARGUED WITH THE TEENS OVER SOME LOUD MUSIC.. WHEN HE WAS ATTACKED.. POLICE ARE RECOMMENDING THE TEENS BE CHARGED.. BUT SINCE THEY'RE JUVENILES.. THAT DECISION RESTS WITH THE STATE ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

MARCH 30, 2005

LENGTH-00:15 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

TWO PORT CHARLOTTE STORES HAVE BEEN BUSTED FOR SELLING ALCOHOL TO MINORS. THE CHARLOTTE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE SAYS WORKERS SOLD BEER TO MINORS AT THE CIRCLE K STORE ON TAMIAMI TRAIL AND BASIA'S STORE ON JOBEAN ROAD. THE BUSTS WERE PART OF AN UNDERCOVER OPERATION DEALING WITH UNDERAGE DRINKING IN THE COUNTY.

LENGTH-00:39 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A TWO YEAR OLD GIRL REMAIN IN CRITICAL CONDITION THIS MORNING AFTER POLICE SAY HER FATHER THREW HER DOWN A FLIGHT OF STAIRS...IT HAPPENED YESTERDAY IN MINNESSOTA. POLICE RESPONDING TO AN EMERGENCY CALL FOUND THE CHILD'S MOTHER SCREAMING HYSTERICALLY, CLAIMING 25-YEAR-OLD TIMOTHY STATEN, HAD BEEN SHAKING THE BABY. WHEN OFFICERS ORDERED HIM TO GIVE UP THE CHILD, STATEN THREW THE BABY DOWN A FLIGHT OF STAIRS TOWARDS THEM..."SHE TOLD ME SHE NEEDED HELP, AND THAT I NEEDED TO GET THERE AS SOON AS I COULD." "HOW ANYBODY COULD EVER HURT THEIR OWN CHILD LIKE THAT. THE CHILD WAS RUSHED TO A NEARBY HOSPITAL WHERE AGAIN, SHE'S IN CRITICAL CONDITION, STATEN REMAINS IN JAIL AND CHARGES ARE PENDING.

LENGTH-00:56 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNISE

TO THIS DAY I STILL DON'T KNOW ALL THE DETAILS. I DON'T WANT TO KNOW." A MOTHER DESCRIBES TO A STATE SENATE COMMITTEE THE REPEATED SEXUAL ABUSE OF HER THREE-YEAR-OLD SON NAMED COLE; A CRIME THAT WENT UNPUNISHED. HE WAS JUST TOO FRIGHTENED TO COME TO COURT TO TESTIFY WITH THE ACCUSED PERSON IN THE SAME ROOM." THIRTY-NINE OTHER STATES ALLOW CHILDREN TO TESTIFY IN MOLESTATION CASES BY CLOSED-CIRCUIT TV. ADVOCATES OF A BILL TO ALLOW TV TESTIMONY IN CALIFORNIA SET UP A DEMONSTRATION AT THE STATE CAPITOL TO SHOW HOW IT WORKS. THAT PERSON IS STILL OUT THERE BECAUSE THIS LAW WAS NOT IN EFFECT." "IT WOULD HAVE GIVEN US A TOOL TO MOVE FORWARD AT LEAST. WE HAVE NO TOOL RIGHT NOW." BUT OPPONENTS SAY THE ACCUSED HAVE THE CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHT TO FACE THEIR ACCUSER IN PERSON, REGARDLESS OF AGE. "YOU CAN TELL WHAT I'M THINKING, NOT JUST BY WHAT I'M SAYING BUT BY MY FACIAL MOVEMENTS, MY EYE MOVEMENTS, BY THE FACT I'M LOOKING AT YOU RIGHT IN THE EYE. I THINK THOSE KIND OF THINGS ARE TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION WHEN SOMEBODY IS ON THE WITNESS STAND." "I UNDERSTAND THE SIXTH AMENDMENT, I DO. BUT AT THE SAME TIME THERE'S SOMEWHERE IN THERE THEY'RE MISSING PROTECTING OUR CHILDREN. IT'S JUST NOT THERE."

LENGTH-00:29 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

HOW QUICKLY YOUR POUNDING HEART RETURNS TO NORMAL CAN PREDICT YOUR RISK OF A HEART ATTACK BETTER THAN CONVENTIONAL TESTS. A STUDY OF 3000 WOMEN OVER 20 YEARS FOUND POOR HEARTRATE RECOVERY AFTER EXERCISE DOUBLED THEIR HEART ATTACK RISK. WANT TO TEST YOUR HEART-RATE? AFTER A FEW MINUTES OF STRENUOUS EXERCISE, TAKE YOUR PULSE FOR 15 SECONDS AND MULTIPLY THE NUMBER OF BEATS BY 4. THEN RELAX...AFTER TWO MINUTES, CHECK YOUR HEART RATE AGAIN, AND SUBTRACT THIS NUMBER FROM THE FIRST ONE. IF THE RESULT IS LESS THAN 55, YOUR RISK OF A HEART DISEASE IS HIGHER THAN NORMAL. REMEMBER TO CONSULT YOUR DOCTOR BEFORE STARTING ANY EXERCISE PROGRAM.

LENGTH-00:27 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

A NEW JERSEY COUPLE HAS BEEN CHARGED FOR THE MURDER OF THEIR FOUR YEAR OLD BOY 11-YEARS AGO. THE BOY'S REMAINS WERE FOUND IN A DUFFEL BAG IN PHILADELPHIA, BACK IN 19-94. PROSECUTORS SAY THAT THE BOY WAS BEATEN TO DEATH BY HIS MOTHER AND HER HUSBAND, THEN DUMPED THE BODY IN A VACANT LOT. THE REMAINS WERE A MYSTERY FOR YEARS, UNTIL AUTHORITIES GOT A TIP

FROM THE VICTM'S UNCLE. THE UNCLE BECAME SUSPICIOUS AND SEARCHED THE WEB SITE OF THE NATIONAL CENTER FOR MISSING AND EXPLOITED CHILDREN. HE FOUND A PICTURE OF A BUST RESEMBLING THE BOY AND CONTACTED POLICE, WHO REOPENED THE CASE

LENGTH-00:30 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

AUTHORITIES SAY TWO WOMEN STOLE A PRESERVED 13-WEEK-OLD FETUS FROM AN EXHIBIT AT THE CALIFORNIA SCIENCE CENTER IN LOS ANGELES...PART OF A TRAVELING DISPLAY CALLED "BODY WORLDS"...THE FETUS' TISSUES ARE INFUSED WITH POLYMERS IN A PROCESS CALLED PLASTINATION TO PREVENT DECAY INDEFINITELY...POLICE SAY A SURVEILLANCE CAMERA CAPTURED THE WOMEN REMOVING IT FROM AN UNLOCKED DISPLAY CASE EARLY SATURDAY...THE THEFT WAS THE FIRST EVER INVOLVING THE DISPLAYS.. WHICH HAVE BEEN SEEN BY MILLIONS OF PEOPLE WORLDWIDE.

LENGTH-01:08 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

IT'S NOT THE AIRLINE TICKET FROM POINT A TO B WITHIN THE UNITED STATES THAT CAN SPELL TROUBLE. IT'S THE VACATION PACKAGES. ANY OF THESE BARGAINS MAY CONTAIN HIDDEN COSTS SO DON'T ACCEPT ON THE FACE OF THE OFFER WHAT YOU'RE SEEING REPRESENTS ALL OF THE COSTS OR CONDITIONS. A TRAVEL FRAUD CONFERENCE SPONSORED BY THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF TRAVEL AGENTS SOME THINGS TO LOOK OUT FOR: MISREPRESENTATION OF WHAT'S IN THE PACKAGE, THE UPGRADES THAT WILL BE REQUIRED, VACATION CERTIFICATES, THE BUY TODAY OR LOSE THE DEAL PRESSURE AND THE BIGGEST OF ALL - YOU QUALIFY FOR A FREE VACATION. IN FLORIDA I GOT MORE TRAVEL COMPLAINTS, ALMOST 2 THOUSAND MORE-- ALMOST DOUBLE THAN I DID AGAINST MOTOR VEHICLE REPAIR. THE MAJORITY OF THOSE CAME FROM PEOPLE THAT LIVE OUT OF STATE AND MANY OUT OF THE COUNTRY, THEIR COMPLAINTS: THEY DIDN'T GET WHAT THEY PAID FOR, THE LOCATION WASN'T WHAT WAS PROMISED OR THE ROOM DIDN'T LIVE UP TO THE PICTURES. OVERALL COMPLAINTS ABOUT TRAVEL TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT ARE DOWN. BUT IT SAYS THAT MAY BE MISLEADING BECAUSE COMPLAINTS ABOUT ON-LINE AUCTIONS AND TELEMARKETERS ARE UP - THAT'S HOW MANY OF THE TRAVEL SCAMS ARE SOLD. CONSUMERS CAN PROTECT THEMSELVES WHEN BOOKING TRAVEL BY USING A TRAVEL AGENT. OR IF SHOPPING ON-LINE, BY PHONE OR MAIL, GETTING EVERYTHING IN WRITING--FEES, CANCELLATION POLICIES, ALL VENDORS INCLUDED IN THE TRIP. AND BY PAYING WITH A CREDIT CARD.

LENGTH-00:16 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

A FORMER BOY SCOUTS ADMINISTRATOR ADMITS TO HAVING CHILD PORNOGRAPHY. DOUGLAS SMITH PLEADED GUILTY THIS MORNING. INVESTIGATORS FOUND IMAGES OF CHILDREN INVOLVED IN SEX ACTS ON SMITH'S COMPUTER. SMITH RAN A NATIONAL TASK FORCE TO PROTECT CHILDREN FROM SEXUAL ABUSE. HE RETIRED AFTER THE CHARGES WERE FILED. SMITH COULD FACE UP TO 20 YEARS IN PRISON.

LENGTH-01:32 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

BILL TEN EYK HAD REACHED THE END OF THE LINE... HIS HEART WAS FAILING AND HIS DOCTORS TOLD HIM HE MIGHT SOOON NEED A HEART TRANSPLANT ... THEN HE LEARNED SOMETHING THAT WOULD CHANGE EVERYTHING...HE HAD SLEEP APNEA.. DURING A MEASUREMENT OF ONE HOUR DURING THE NIGHT IT SHOWED THAT I HAD STOPPED BREATHING 33 TIMES, THE LONGEST OF WHICH WAS A MINUTE AND THE SHORTEST OF WHICH WAS 15-SECONDS. IMPORTANT FOR EYK BECAUSE STUDIES HAVE SHOWN SLEEP APNEA CAN CONTRIBUTE TO HEART DISEASE.. WHAT ACTUALLY HAPPENS IN A SLEEP APNEA EVENT, WHEN THE AIRWAY CLOSES THE BLOOD OXYGEN LEVEL DROPS SO IT'S REALLY NO DIFFERENT THAN ME COMING IN AND PUTTING MY HANDS OVER A NEW SURVEY FROM THE NATIONAL SLEEP FOUNDATION FOUND ONE IN FOUR RESPONDENTS AT RISK FOR SLEEP APNEA.. SLEEP APNEA IS JUST ONE CAUSE OF SLEEP DEPRIVATION.. STRESS CAN ALSO LEAD TO INSOMNIA, AND POOR HEALTH IS JUST ONE SIDE EFFECT FROM LACK OF SLEEP.. THE SAME SURVEY FOUND THAT 78% OF THOSE POLLED SAID THEY WERE GETTING LESS SLEEP BECAUSE OF THEIR PARTNER'S SLEEP PROBLEMS. AND A THIRD SAID LACK OF SLEEP HAD A NEGATIVE IMPACT ON THEIR SEX LIFE. MOST IMPORTANTLY, THE NATIONAL SLEEP FOUNDATION IS WARNING ADULTS AGAINST IGNORING SLEEP PROBLEMS.. SLEEP IS LIKE ANYTHING ELSE, IT'S LIKE CALORIES OR THE AMOUNT OF EXERCISE OR HAIR COLOR, NOT ONE SIZE FITS ALL -BUT THE VAST MAJORITY OF PEOPLE SHOULD DO WELL BETWEEN 7 AND 9 HOURS A NIGHT. IF THIS SOUNDS EASIER SAID THAN DONE.. HERE ARE SOME TIPS ON HOW YOU MIGHT GET MORE SLEEP.. -TRY TO WAKE UP AND GO TO SLEEP AT THE SAME TIME EVERY DAY.. EVEN ON WEEKENDS -AVOID CAFFEINE AFTER 2PM - KEEP THE BEDROOM QUIET... NO WORKING IN BED, NO TV IN BED... AS FOR BILL - HE WEARS A SPECIAL MASK AT NIGHT WHICH HELPS HIM BREATHE EASIER - MY HEART WAS ABLE TO PERFORM BETTER BECAUSE IT WAS GETTING REST I THINK THAT HAD I NOT BEEN DIAGNOSED WITH SLEEP APNEA, HAD I NOT BEEN USING THIS MACHINE FOR THE PAST 5 YEARS I PROBABLY WOULD HAVE BEEN HISTORY AND TODAY HE'S NO LONGER IN NEED OF A HEART TRANSPLANT

LENGTH-00:43 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-5:30

THE ARROWS POINT TO THE "KISS MY ASH" SMOKE SHOP.. A PLACE THAT SELLS A LOT MORE THAN THE TOBACCO AND CIGARS YOU MIGHT EXPECT. AND IT READS.. "ADDICTS WANTED.. YOUR CHILDREN CAN PURCHASE CRACK-COCAINE PIPES, MARIJUANA PAPERS, AND BONGS NEXT DOOR. HEROIN NEEDLES NOT AVAILABLE, YET - WAKE UP!" KEN STEVENS HAD THE SIGN MADE UP AND POSTED IT IN "THE FITTING ROOM" - HIS TAILORING SHOP. STEVENS SAYS THERE'S NO PLACE FOR A STORE LIKE THIS IN SARASOTA - OR ANYWHERE. HE HAS TWO SONS - 17 AND 13 YEARS OLD.. AND HE SAYS HE'D BE A HYPOCRITE IF HE LET A STORE THAT SELLS

PIPES AND PAPERS FLOURISH NEXT DOOR. OTHER FOLKS WHO WORK NEARBY SAY THE SMOKE SHOP'S BEEN GETTING COMPLAINTS FROM PEOPLE ALL AROUND IT - EVER SINCE IT OPENED. "WITH THE OLDER PEOPLE IN SARASOTA COUNTY, THEY'RE NOT KEEN ON THIS STUFF.. SO - HE'S BEEN HEARING IT A LOT FROM THE NEIGHBORS."

LENGTH-01:28 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-6:00

OFFICIALS AT THE SARASOTA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT ARE MONITORING A WOMAN. SHE LIVES IN SARASOTA COUNTY, AND ATTENDED A FAIR IN CENTRAL FLORIDA EARLIER THIS MONTH. THEY ARE A SUSPECT CASE AND MEANS THEY HAVE DIAHERRA AND HAVE ATTENDED ONE OF THESE FAIRS IN FLORIDA. THE PERSON HAS RECOVERED." ALL THE PEOPLE SHOWING SIGNS OF THIS INFECTION ATTENDED EITHER THE CENTRAL FLORIDA FAIR IN ORLANDO OR THE STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL IN PLANT CITY. BOTH RAN FROM MARCH THIRD THROUGH THE 13TH. THE HEAD OF THE CHARLOTTE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT SAYS ONE LITTLE GIRL FROM CHARLOTTE COUNTY IS IN A LEE COUNTY HOSPITAL... WITH A CONFIRMED CASE OF H-U-S. THERE'S O WORD ON HER CONDITION. THREE OTHER CHILDREN WHO ALSO HAVE SYMPTOMS ARE BEING TESTED FOR H-U-S. THEY ALL WENT TO THE STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL AND HEALTH OFFICALS THINK THEY WENT TO A PETTING ZOO THERE. OFFICIALS DON'T KNOW IF THE WOMAN IN SARASOTA COUNTY ATTENDED A PETTING ZOO..BUT THOSE ZOOS ARE AT THE CENTER OF THIS INVESTIGATION. STATE OFFICIALS ARE NOW VISITING ALL PETTING ZOOS. "THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE IS NOW DOCUMENTING ALL PETTING ZOOS JUST AS A PRECAUTION IN CASE IT DOES COME OUT IT WAS ANIMAL ORIGINATED." ELLIAN ROSAIRE RUNS A PETTING ZOO FROM HER HOME IN EAST SARASOTA COUNTY. HER ANIMALS ARE NOT CONNECTED TO THE PETTING ZOOS IN CENTRAL FLORIDA. SHE THINKS ONCE THE INVESTIGATION IS DONE THE PETTING ZOOS WON'T BE TO BLAME..BUT SHE STILL TAKES PRECAUTIONS WITH HER ANIMALS...SO NO ONE GETS SICK. "WE PROMOTE CLEANLINESS. WE KEEP OUR ANIMALS CLEAN WE KEEP OUR ZOO AREA CLEAN WE HAVE EVERYONE WASH THEIR HAND WITH SOAP AND WATER. WE USE HAND SANITIZER."

LENGTH-00:59 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-11:00

CLOSER TO HOME... ANOTHER BEAUTIFUL DAY OUT THERE ON THE SUNCOAST, BUT THERE'S SOME BAD NEWS FOR YOU BRONZE-BODIED SPRING BREAKERS. THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION SAYS YOUR LOVE OF DARK SKIN --NO MATTER HOW YOU GET IT --IS BAD FOR YOUR HEALTH. YOU KNOW SPENDING TOO MUCH TIME IN THE SUN WITHOUT PLENTY OF SUNSCREEN INCREASES YOUR RISK FOR SKIN CANCER... BUT EXPERTS SAY THE PROBLEM GOES BEYOND THE BEACH. DOCTORS WITH THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION SAY NO ONE UNDER 18 SHOULD BE ALLOWED IN A TANNING BOOTH BECAUSE OF THE INCREASED RISK OF MELANOMA. BUT TANNING PROFESSIONALS DISAGREE. "THEY SELECT UVA LIGHT. IT'S LESS PROBABLY TO GIVE YOU A SUN BURN BUT GOES DEEPER INTO YOUR SKIN. IT WILL PREMATURELY AGE YOUR SKIN FASTER THAN BEING OUTDOORS AND IT IS PROVOCATIVE TO SKIN CANCER. WHY SHOULDN'T THEY BE? THERE'S NO PROOF OF A CONNECTION FROM INDOOR TANNING TO THE C-WORD, YOU KNOW, CANCER. BOTH SIDES AGREE THE STATE SHOULD DO MORE TO EDUCATE FOLKS ABOUT THE DANGERS OF TOO MUCH SUN.

LIKE MILLIONS OF AMERICANS, SUE FERCH TAKES LOW-DOSE ASPIRIN TO REDUCE THE RISK OF A HEART ATTACK.... SHE'S BEEN DOING IT FOR 10 YEARS. "I DO TAKE THAT DAILY AND I TAKE IT ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT IT MIGHT HELP." BUT A NEW STUDY IN THE NEW ENGLAND JOURNAL OF MEDICINE SUGGESTS IN HEALTHY WOMEN, IT MIGHT NOT. DOCTORS HAVE LONG RECOMMENDED SOME PATIENTS TAKE A LOW DOSE OF ASPIRIN DAILY... BUT THAT WAS BASED ON STUDIES IN MEN. NOW, THEY HAVE RESULTS OF A TRIAL IN WOMEN. "IN THE POPULATION OF WOMEN WHO ARE IN THAT AGE GROUP OF 45 TO 65, THERE IS NO EVIDENCE THAT ASPIRIN PROVIDES A BENEFIT IN PREVENTING HEART DISEASE." BUT THEY DID FIND A TRADEOFF: DAILY ASPIRIN IN HEALTHY WOMEN DOES HELP PREVENT STROKE... A BENEFIT THE MEN DON'T GET. BUT WHAT ABOUT PEOPLE WHO HAVE ALREADY HAD A STROKE -- PUTTING THEM AT HIGH RISK FOR A SECOND? IN A SECOND STUDY, RESEARCHERS COMPARED HIGH DOSES OF ASPIRIN IN THESE PATIENTS TO A POPULAR ANTI-CLOTTING DRUG CALLED WARFARIN -- OFTEN SOLD AS COUMADIN. THE PEOPLE WHO GOT WARFARIN DID WORSE, EVEN THOUGH WARFARIN IS ARGUABLY A MORE POTENT ANTI-COAGULANT." THE STUDY FOUND ALTHOUGH THE RISK OF STROKE WAS ABOUT THE SAME ON BOTH DRUGS NEARLY 18 PERCENT FOR WARFARIN, NEARLY 21-PERCENT FOR ASPIRIN -- COMPLICATIONS LIKE HEMORRHAGE OR DEATH WERE SIGNIFICANTLY HIGHER IN THE PATIENTS TAKING WARFARIN... SO THE STUDY WAS STOPPED EARLY BECAUSE OF THE DANGER TO THE WARFARIN PATIENTS. THERE WAS NO IMMEDIATE REACTION FROM THE MAKER OF COUMADIN. BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB.

MARCH 31, 2005

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

FLORIDA LAWMAKERS ARE MOVING QUICKLY TO IMPROVE THE TRACKING OF SEX OFFENDERS ON PROBATION. THE LEGISLATIVE ACTION IS IN THE WAKE OF THE ABDUCTION AND MURDER OF A 9-YEAR OLD CITRUS COUNTY GIRL...THE HOUSE CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED THE JESSICA LUNSFORD ACT... NAMED FOR THE YOUNG GIRL WHO WAS KIDNAPPED FROM HER BEDROOM LATE LAST MONTH. THE BILL WOULD REQUIRE ELECTRONIC TRACKING OF SEX OFFENDERS ON PROBATION. JOHN COUEY, THE MAN ACCUSED OF KILLING THE YOUNG GIRL WAS A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER AND WAS ON PROBATION.

LENGTH-01:00 ISSUE-ELDERLY 7 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THE RULING AFFECTS ALMOST HALF THE NATION'S WORKFORCE, FROM THE ELDERLY...TO ANYONE OVER FORTY. "THIS DECISION IS IMPORTANT BECAUSE IT PERMITS A GROUP OF EMPLOYEES TO NOW BRING A CLAIM OF AGE DISCRIMINATION WITHOUT HAVING TO PROVE THAT THE EMPLOYER INTENDED TO DISCRIMINATE." POLICIES THAT PUT OLDER WORKERS AT A DISADVANTAGE CAN NOW BE FOUND ILLEGAL, EVEN IF EMPLOYERS DIDN'T INTEND TO DISCRIMINATE. SUPPORTERS SAY THE RULING - AUTHORIED BY THE OLDEST MEMBER SOF THE SUPREME COURT, 84-YEAR-OLD JUSTICE JOHN PAUL STEVENS - GIVES OLDER EMPLOYEES MORE PROTECTION IN ENVIRONMENTS THAT FAVOR YOUTH. "WE HOPE THAT EMPLOYERS

THAT HAVE NOT INCORPORATED THE CONCERNS OF OLDER WORKERS INTO THEIR THINKING AT VARIOUS STAGES WILL DO SO NOW." THE RULING *DOES* SAY EMPLOYERS ARE SOMETIMES WITHIN THEIR RIGHTS TO TREAT EMPLOYEES DIFFERENTLY WHEN A JOB REQUIRES CERTAIN CAPABILITIES. BUT BUSINESSES SAY THEY ARE CONCERNED ABOUT THE POSSIBLE IMPACT. "THIS CASE MAY RESULT IN MORE SUITS, PARTICULARLY AGAINST SMALL AND MEDIUM SIZED EMPLOYERS WHO DON'T HAVE ACCESS TO TO LEGAL ADVICE AND MAY RUN AFOUL OF THIS DECISION." THE RULING AFFECTS ALMOST SEVENTY-FIVE-MILLION WORKERS. EXPERTS SAY IT IS STILL HARD TO WIN IN COURT, BUT IT DOES EASE THE BURDEN ON OLDER WORKERS.

LENGTH-00:53 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

TWO MONTHS BEFORE AENEAS HERNLEN WERE SHOT MULTIPLE TIMES BY A STALKER, A RESTRAINING ORDER AGAINST SUSPECTED SHOOTER DAVID JOHNSON WAS DENIED BY A VOLUSIA COUNTY JUDGE. DEPUTIES SAY JOHNSON THREATENED THE HERNLEN FAMILY, BLAMING THEM FOR A MARIJUANA ARREST, HERE AT THIS HOUSE. JOHNSON TOLD THE HERNLENS THAT THEY RUINED HIS LIFE AND OWED HIM 10 THOUSAND DOLLARS IN ATTORNEY FEES. HE WOULD SOON SEEK REVENGE. "--MY MOMMY AND DADDY AND THEY DIDN'T EVEN ANSWER. THERE'S BLOOD COMING OUT OF MY DAD'S MOUTH AND HE FELL OFF THE BED." "HE DID? WHERE'S MOMMY AT?" "I DON'T KNOW, I THINK THEY'RE DEAD." THE DAY AFTER THE HERNLEN'S FIVE-YEAR-OLD GIRL FINDS HER PARENTS BODIES IN THE BEDROOM, THE JUDGE WHO DENIED THE RESTRAINING ORDER EXPLAINS HIS REASONS WHY. FIRST AND FOREMOST, JUDGE RICHARD GRAHAM TELLS LOCAL 6 HE FEELS AWFUL ABOUT THE OUTCOME, AND EXPLAINS HE DENIED THE RESTRAINING ORDER BECAUSE IT WAS SOUGHT ON BEHALF OF THE HERNLEN'S FIVE-YEAR-OLD DAUGHTER, AND NOT THE ADULTS. IN HINDSIGHT, JUDGE GRAHAM SAYS HE WISHES HE WOULD HAVE APPROVED THE RESTRAINING ORDER. HOWEVER HE POINTS OUT THAT AN INJUNCTION MAY NOT HAVE STOPPED THIS MAN, CAPABLE OF KILLING OTHERS AND HIMSELF.

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A JACKSONVILLE COUPLE ACCUSED OF STARVING THEIR CHILD AND FORCING HIM TO SLEEP IN A CAGE-LIKE BED WILL NOW FACE DIFFERENT CHARGES...THE CHARGES AGAINST SANDRA AND WILSON SULLIVAN WERE INCREASED FROM FROM CHILD NEGLECT TO AGGRAVATED CHILD ABUSE. THE NEW CHARGES CAME DURING THE COUPLE'S COURT APPEARANCE YESTERDAY. IT COULD MEAN MORE PRISON TIME FOR THE COUPLE WHOSE 17-YEAR-OLD SON, POLICE SAY, WEIGHED LESS THAN 50 POUNDS AT FOUR-FEET-SIX INCHES TALL..

LENGTH-00:21 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

A PITTSBURGH AREA HOSPITAL IS TRYING TO TRACK DOWN SOME 200 PEOPLE WHO RECENTLY UNDERWENT A COLONOSCOPIY. FORBES REGIONAL HOSPITAL SAYS THE PATIENTS MAY HAVE BEEN EXPOSED TO HEPATITUS OR "AIDS" BECAUSE THE INSTRUMENT MAY NOT HAVE BEEN FULLY DIS-INFECTED. THE HOSPITAL SAYS THE PATIENTS INVOLVED GOT COLONOSCOPIES BETWEEN THE DATES OF OCTOBER 28TH AND FEBRUARY 26TH. THE HOSPITAL IS OFFERING FREE SCREENINGS NOW AND AGAIN IN SIX MONTHS.

TWO YOUNG MEN WENT OUT TO PLAY FOOTBALL AND JUST A FEW DAYS LATER... BOTH WERE FIGHTING TO STAY ALIVE. IT WASN'T UNTIL HE WAS ON DEATH'S DOORSTEP DID WE EVEN REALIZE HOW SICK HE WAS.... MATTHEW YKEMA (IKE-MA) PLAYED HIGHSCHOOL FOOTBALL IN A SUBURB OF HOUSTON. RICKY LANNETI PLAYED FOR LYCOMING COLLEGE IN PENNSLYVANIA I JUST THOUGHT HE CAUGHT SOMETHING AND WAS REALLY SICK AND HE WAS GOING TO BE OKAY. . BOTH HAD CONTRACTED WHAT SOME DOCTORS ARE CALLING A SUPERBUG. AN AGGRESSIVE BACTERIAL INFECTION CALLED MRSA. IT'S A MUTATED STRAIN OF STAPHYLOCOCCUS...RESISTANT TO MOST ANTIBIOTICS. I THINK IT'S THE NEW SILENT KILLER YOU KNOW IT JUST COMES SO FAST AND FURIOUS... DOCTORS HAVE SEEN IT BEFORE.. BUT USUALLY IN BEDRIDDEN HOSPITAL PATIENTS WITH EXPOSED WOUNDS . NOW THEY'RE SEEING MORE CASES AMONG ATHLETES PLAYING CONTACT SPORTS. MRSA HAS HIT PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALL PLAYERS, HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLERS AND FENCERS. FEW CASES AS SERIOUS AS RICKY'S AND MATTHEW'S. HERE WE HAD GONE TO THE EMERGENCY ROOM THINKING HE'LL COME HOME WITH A BRACE WE JUST DIDN'T UNDERSTAND THAT HE WAS DYING RIGHT IN FRONT OF OUR THIS IS MATTHEW'S LEG... IN MATTHEW'S CASE... MRSA CAUSED DOZENS OF BLOD CLOTS...FROM HIS LEG TO HIS LUNGS. WHAT IS IT ABOUT THIS ORGANISM THAT MAKES IT SO SUCCESSFUL?? WE JUST DON'T KNOW... RICKY LANNETI'S MOTHER SAYS EMERGENCY ROOM DOCTORS DESPERATELY WORKED ON HER SON ... THEY DIDN'T KNOW WHAT WAS WRONG WITH HIM. THEY HAD NO IDEA. IT WAS ONE ORGAN AFTER ANOTHER JUST SHUTTING DOWN ON HIM. IT WAS THAT QUICK. BY 7:36 THAT NIGHT HE DIED.. DOCTORS THINK AN OPEN SORE MAY HAVE BEEN EXPOSED TO MRSA ON THE FIELD OR IN A ROOM. HE HAD A GREAT LIFE HE WAS LIKE EVERYTHING TO ME, MY BEST FRIEND, MY SON DOCTORS STILL DON'T KNOW HOW MATTHEW BECAME INFECTED. IT GAVE ME A LOT OF TIME TO THINK ABOUT HOW VALUBALE LIFE IS AND HOW MUCH TIME YOU NEED TO SPEND WITH FAMILY MATTHEW HAD TO GIVE UP CONTACT SPORTS. A FILTER WAS IMPLANTED IN HIS LUNGS TO PROTECT AGAINST CLOTS. WE'RE FEELING PRETTY BLESSED NOT A DAY GOES BY WHEN WE'RE JUST NOT TICKLED SILLY TO KNOW THAT MATTHEW IS A WALKING MIRACLE DOCTORS WATCH HIM CLOSELY.. AS THEY CONTINUE TO INVESTIGATE THE DEADLY BACTERIA THAT IS STILL ONE STEP AHEAD.

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER IS ARRESTED JUST BLOCKS AWAY FROM A BRADENTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL. DEPUTIES FOUND 48 YEAR OLD MARK HOFMAN, LIVING NEAR BALLARD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN BRADENTON. HOFMAN WAS WANTED IN PINELLAS COUNTY. DEPUTIES WENT TO AN APARTMENT NEAR THE SCHOOL TO ARREST HIS ROOMATE ON BURGLARY CHARGES BUT WHEN THEY CHECKED HOFMAN OUT THEY FOUND HE WAS WANTED TOO. HE IS IN THE MANATEE COUNTY JAIL WAITING TO GO TO PINELLAS COUNTY FOR HIS THREE OUTSTANDING WARRANTS.

THEY ARE E-MAILS THAT COME OUT OF THE BLUE, OFTEN FROM A COMPANY THAT CONSUMERS MAY HAVE DONE BUSINESS WITH IN THE PAST, BUT AN UNEXPECTED MAIL ASKING FOR PERSONAL INFORMATION SHOULD BE THE FIRST TIP OFF TO A SCAM KNOWN AS "PHISHING". THE MESSAGE TYPICALLY SAYS THERE IS A PROBLEM WITH YOUR ACCOUNT THERE'S A LINK TO A WEBSITE WHICH IS A PHONY WEBSITE THAT LOOKS JUST LIKE THE REAL THING. MSN INTERNET SERVICE PROVIDER IS OFTEN USED BY PHISHERS - SO MICROSOFT IS FIGHTING BACK. FILLING 117 LAWSUITS AGAINST PHISHING SITE OPERATORS. THE PHISHERS TARGETED IN THESE LAWSUITS CREATED FAKE DECEPTIVE WEBSITES TARGETING MSN HOTMAIL AND MSN CUSTOMERS. THE LAWSUITS ARE BEING LAUNCHED AGAINST "JOHN DOE." THAT'S BECAUSE FOR NOW THE COMPANY DOESN'T KNOW WHO'S DOING IT. MOST VICTIMS OF PHISHING DON'T EVEN KNOW THEY'VE BEEN SCAMMED. A RECENT SURVEY MAY GIVE THE BEST INDICATION OF HOW FAR THE PHISHING SCAM NET HAS BEEN CAST, 91 MILLION PEOPLE SAID THEY'VE RECEIVED A PHISHING EMAIL OVER THE PAST YEAR. 4.5 MILLION SAID THEY RESPONDED TO IT. IF CONSUMERS KNOW NOT TO E-MAIL THEIR PERSONAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION IN RESPONSE TO A POP-UP SOLICITATION OR AN E-MAIL INQUIRY THEY CAN PROTECT THEMSELVES. DON'T CUT AND PASTE THE LINK IN THE E-MAIL AND DON'T CLICK THE LINK. REMEMBER NO LEGITIMATE COMPANY WILL ASK YOU FOR PERSONAL INFORMATION VIA THE WEB.